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PONOKA MARKETS

Elevator prices, August 1:—

Wheat, No. 1 Northern, per bush.	.78	Barley, basis No. 3, C.W.	.32
" No. 2 "	.75	Rye, No. 2 C.W.	.43
" No. 3 "	.74	Potatoes per bus.	1.00
" No. 4 "	.65	Eggs, per dozen	.12
" No. 5 "	.59	Butter, per lb.	.35
Oats, basis No. 2, C.W.	.39	Hogs, live, per cwt.	$ 8.25
		Beef, live, per "	$2.00 to 3.00
		Hides	3c to 5c

President Harding Has Pneumonia

Taken Sick on His Return Tour From Alaska

San Francisco, July 31.—President Harding passed the "best night, comparatively, since he has been ill," Brigadier General Sawyer, his personal physician, announced in a statement made at 8 o'clock this morning.

"The conditions seem to warrant the statement that apparently he has gotten into clear sailing."

President Harding is fighting his greatest battle of his career—a struggle in which his life is at stake.

Arranged against him are bronchio-pneumonia, symptoms of which were discovered by the attending physicians late last night, and also the danger of other complications. Armed in his favor are his calm determination, a subsidence of the earlier abdominal trouble, and the hopes and prayers of a nation. His handicap is an admittedly weakened physical resistance.

Crop Report

Issued by Publicity Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, Saturday, July 28:—

Alberta crops are progressing satisfactorily towards the harvest stage. Although the precipitation has diminished in most districts during the past fortnight, there is sufficient moisture in the soil to carry the grain to maturity in practically all sections of the province.

Practically all wheat is now headed out, and is filling rapidly and well. The stand of this grain in most districts is very heavy, and is from four to five feet and even more in height. Oats and barley are heading out and promise a good yield.

Haying is in progress over the province, and the yield of native grass is very heavy, although the timothy crop will be light. The first cutting of alfalfa has yielded well, and the second growth is showing a good stand.

Harvesting of wheat will commence in a few districts in the province as early as August 10, but will not be general until between the 15th and 20th. The weather generally speaking has been very warm, with a few showers. In one or two districts in the south-eastern part of the province, the hot weather has produced slight drought conditions, but the grain has not suffered to any appreciable extent. Grasshoppers are still causing some trouble in a few districts in the south, and there have been one or two serious flights. Little damage, however, is reported as yet.

Since last report damage from hail has been serious in some districts in a limited area, where the extent of damage has ranged from 25 to 75 per cent. A large number of claims have been received at the offices of the Municipal Hail Board, but the majority of these are for comparatively small amounts. The percentage of loss from this cause in the province as a whole will not be great.

Farmers are reminded that it may not be possible to secure men on the exact date they are needed, and are asked where possible to take men on a day or two previous to commencement of harvest, in order that they may be taken care of.

Child Torn to Pieces by Dogs.

North Bergen, N.Y., July 28.—While about fifty persons looked on in horror, two Great Danes literally tore to pieces Joseph Bonsall, nine years old, of West Hoboken, at Fiord Park, yesterday. The child died before the ambulance got him to hospital. Adolph Bentz, owner of the dogs, was arrested on a technical charge of manslaughter.

Parents Dance, Baby Dies

Monitor, Alta., July 30.—While Mr and Mrs W. Rosner attended a dance in the U.F.A. hall at Sastatia, fifteen miles south of here they left their baby wrapped in a blanket in the buggy outside. After the last strain of music, toward morning, the parents started for home, the mother carrying the the little bundle in her arms. On arriving home she found the baby dead of suffocation.

24 Lives Taken at Railway Crossings

Chicago, July 29.—Twenty-four persons were reported killed today in six railroad crossing accidents in various parts of the United States, a train striking an automobile in each instance.

One Pennsylvania train struck two automobiles within a few hours, four being killed in the first crash and nine in the second. The first accident occurred at Highland, Illinois, where an automobile apparently became stalled on the tracks in the path of an express train.

A few hours later the same train, hurrying to make up lost time, struck another automobile at Liggett, Ind., eight miles from Terre Haute, nine persons being killed. The driver apparently had made an attempt to cross the tracks before the train reached him.

At Iron Mountain, Mo., a Missouri Pacific Express train crashed into an automobile and killed four persons.

From New York came report of five killed, including William I. Gottlieb, a well-known manufacturer, when a Long Island passenger train struck the automobile in which they were riding.

Another accident was reported from Wadesboro, N.C., where a seaboard train demolished an automobile, killing one person and seriously injuring two others.

The sixth accident occurred at Castleton Corners, Vt., where one was killed and two badly hurt when a freight train collided with an automobile.

Lochinvar

A wild and woolly stampede was held at the north end of Gull Lake on J. Hanby's farm on July 28th. It was a real stampede. The horses were genuine outlaws, and the cattle were. It was well worth the price, and everybody had value for their money. It is to be hoped that something similar will be given next year.

After the stampede a grand dance was held in the Rose schoolhouse. The dance was well attended, and all had an enjoyable time.

Miss Lillian Archibald has recently returned to her home here. She has been teaching Domestic Science in Calgary. We are glad to see her home again.

Miss Ruby Lockerby returned to her home in Clive recently, after a successful term of teaching at the Rose school. She will visit her father for a few weeks, and then expects to go to California.

Will Taylor and Ed Porba passed through this vicinity recently on their way to B.C.

Lyle Davidson has recently taken a new employer, L. Brennenultz.

Miss Bertha Dean, after a brief visit with her cousins, D. and J. Reynolds, has left for her home in Nova Scotia.

FOOD SITUATION SERIOUS IN GERMANY

Berlin, July 31.—Reports from the Ruhr indicate that the food situation there is becoming steadily worse. At Gelsenkirchen several thousand miners failed to report for work; they informed the management that they were physically unfit to enter the pits, as their families have been without food supplies since Saturday.

The Chautauqua

Ponoka's Chautauqua opens today (Thursday). The programme is a good one—instructive and amusing—and during the four days, August 2-6, there will be two entertainments daily.

The Herald commends the Chautauqua, and urges the people of town and district to give it their unstinted patronage. Make it a success by attending.

Much Wheat in World Market

290,000,000 from Canada

Ottawa, July 27.—A cablegram from the International Institute at Rome to the Canadian representative furnishes an official estimate of Hungarian wheat crop at 69,000,000 bushels, and the Rumanian wheat crop at the average of about 71,000,000. These yields compare wit 54 and 92 million bushels, respectively, last year. These figures and others recently cabled, together with carefully prepared estimates for the unreported countries, enable a 1923 forecast to be made for the various continents and the world as follows:

Europe, 1,192,000,000; North America, 1,250,000,000; Asia, 425,000,000; Africa, 143,000,000; S. America, 221,000,000; Australasia, 117,000,000. Total, 3,348,000,000.

These figures forecast a world's crop of about 214,000,000 bushels in excess of last year's and of that of 1921. Excluding Russia, Europe will have a crop exceeding that of last year by 175,000,000 bushels, falling only 33,000,000 bushels of the record crop of 1921.

Shipments from the supply countries of the world for this year are 690,000,000, of which Canada is expected to supply 290,000,000.

FARM HELP FOR ALBERTA

Edmonton, July 26.—Mobilization is to begin in Alberta again, and a recruiting campaign will be put on at once in all parts of the province. It will this time be a campaign to mobilize able bodied men for work in harvesting Alberta's bumper crop. An army of about 13,000 men will be required for service on the wheat field front.

Hon. Alex. Ross, officer commanding the new mobilization effort, says that as large a proportion of the farm-help army as possible will be raised on the home base, and to that end he is calling upon the mayors of towns and cities the railway companies, employers of labor generally, and superintendents of schools, for whatever assistance they can give. It will be a case of everybody helping to roll up the recruits, and there will be only a matter of three weeks in which to do it. At least 3500 farm hands will be available from these various sources and from other sources within the province, leaving about 10,000 to be brought in from outside points. The campaign now beginning locally will be prosecuted outside also, and, in fact, is already under way on a fairly large scale.

NATIONAL MALE QUARTET

Exceptionally fine group of male voices that reaches a high plane of artistic endeavor.

Stirring songs, worth while selections on musical instruments, clever character delineations and comedy talking sketches combined with real quartet music are features of the National Male Quartet appearing on the second day of Chautauqua.

THE CHAUTAUQUA.—On Saturday, August 4th

A Constitutional Amendment Is Needed

The lamentable effects of the Senate's action in blocking the policy of the directorate of the Canadian National Railways, the Federal Government and the House of Commons, all of which bodies were agreed upon the necessity of constructing certain branch lines, are already in evidence, and as time passes the seriousness of the blow struck at Canadian progress and prosperity will become even clearer.

Charles McDonald, M.L.A. for Pitaw Albert, and a man not given to exaggeration, now one likely to be guilty of misrepresentation, is authority for the statement that settlers are already leaving the Paddockwood district because, after years of struggle and wailing for a railway, the grade for which has already been made, they see the Government and the elected representatives of the people powerless before an irresponsible Senate. Three elevators which would have been constructed along this line this year will not be built, while creameries and other industries cannot be proceeded with nor operated with any hope of success.

Announcement has been made in the daily press that, owing to the Senate's action in placing their veto on the extension of the C.N.R. since from Kelvington, the Canadian Pacific has decided to proceed at once with the extension of their lines into the territory which the C.N.R. would have served, and, unhampered by Senatorial control, the C.P.R. has let a contract for the immediate building of their line.

Nobody can blame the C.P.R. for this pre-empting the territory. It is merely good business on their part, and if the Senate will not let the Canadian National build, then the people in the districts concerned will most heartily welcome the energy displayed by the C.P.R. But how can Sir Henry Thornton and the directorate of the Canadian National be expected to make that system a financial success if their well considered plans for the development of business are to be nullified by the Senate?

As was pointed out in a previous article not only do the districts to be served by these short branch lines badly need them if the settlers there are to make a success of their farming operations and become contented and prosperous citizens, but the Canadian National road remains handicapped with its thousands of miles of main lines unless and until it has many more branch lines as feeders to their main lines. And every one of the branches "killed" by the Senate would have helped materially in increasing the volume of traffic over the whole C.N.R. system.

It is useless to ask the Government to go ahead and build the lines despite the Senate's opposition. The Government is powerless unless Parliament approves and votes the necessary money. It is equally useless to pass resolutions condemning the Senate's action unless people and organizations responsible for such resolutions are ready, willing and determined to force a complete reform of the Senate as at present constituted. The Senate is immune at present. Its members are quite indifferent to any public criticism of its acts, because those members know the people are powerless to do anything.

Surely the time has arrived when definite steps should be inaugurated to bring about a change in our country's constitution when by the present methods an Irresponsible Senate can be frozen old. The political party which has the courage to place a positive and clear-cut plank in its platform providing for Senate reform would undoubtedly rally a very large measure of support to its banner. Certain it is that the progressive Western Provinces will not much longer remain content to be the victims of the Senate's autocracy and irresponsibility.

Australia has the power to amend its own constitution. Why should Canada not enjoy the same right? The British North America Act was drafted and passed over half a century ago when the powers conferred on self-governing Dominions were not so great as those granted to other Dominions created at later periods, notably Australia and Ireland. The Canadian constitution was a broad and liberal one at the time of its enactment. But the world has progressed far since 1867, and no valid reason exists why the Canadian people should today be penalized because their Dominion was the first to be created.

The first step that should be taken at the earliest opportunity is to obtain from the Imperial Parliament an amendment to the British North America Act conferring on the Parliament of Canada full right and power to amend its own constitution in such manner as the people of Canada may themselves desire. And if Canada asks for such an amendment to the B.N.A. Act, it is safe to say the Imperial Government and Parliament will not deny the request.

Lloyd George May Visit Canada

Expected He Will Make Brief Tour Through Dominion During October

Through a committee formed in Toronto, arrangements are being made for the visit to Canada of the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, ex-Premier of England. Information to that effect was contained in a letter received at Quebec by Mayor Samson, from Joseph McCarthy, chairman of the Lloyd George Committee. The present plans are that Lloyd George will sail from Liverpool on the 27th inst. of Britain on October 3 and would land at Quebec either on October 10 or 11.

The ex-Premier is proposing a brief tour through Canada, and two or three days in the United States. The committee have urged upon him that he should land in Canada and leave from Canada. His trip will be of a national character.

Much Labor Required

At a meeting held in Winnipeg to inquire into the farm labor situation, it was estimated that the three prairie provinces will require over 50,000 harvest hands from outside points to assist in harvesting this year's crop. The estimate is that Manitoba will require 12,000 harvest laborers in addition to local supplies, Saskatchewan 20,000 and Alberta 10,000.

Scrap Tin For Toys

A hundred tons of scrap tin which has been collecting at British Columbia canneries has been loaded for shipment for San Francisco, where it will be used in the manufacture of toys. For some years enormous quantities of scrap tin, unused in the operation of canneries, have been wasted. Before the war Germany purchased most of the scrap for tin manufacture. The present shipment to the United States, it is expected, will be followed by others.

World's Greatest Opium Consumer

U.S. Uses 36 Grains Per Head of Population Yearly

The United States is the greatest consumer of opium of all the world's nations.

No less than thirty-six grains per head of the population each year, enough to keep every person living in that country, in a state of insensibility for a month, or a little over a month. Is the consumption in the United States.

India comes second with a consumption of twenty-four grains. France uses four grains, Germany and China two grains. These nations consume most of their quotas under medical treatment.

The Druggists All Agree That "Putnam's" Is Best

Th oldest corn remover on the market is Putnam's Corn Extractor—and it is the best. Your corns will all drop out after a few treatments with this painless remedy. Failure impossible. Reduce a substitute for "Putnam's," 25c. every where.

To Protect Forests

140,000 School Boys to Watch For Forest Fires

One hundred and forty thousand Canadian school boys have been banded into an army of guards to watch for and prevent forest fires in the Dominion this year, according to an announcement made by the Canadian Forestry Association.

The new organization which is known as the Young Canadian Forest Rangers, will, it is expected, save several million dollars worth of timber from fire ravages.

The Fraternal Feeling

Grace—The only men I ever kiss are my brothers.

Murray—Er—what lodge do you belong to?—New York Sun

Severe Kidney Trouble

Mrs. F. Rinehart, Campbellville, Ont., writes:

"I had trouble with my kidneys and very frequent urination. This was followed by pains which at times were very severe. The doctor said I had inflammation of the bladder and that an operation might be necessary. To this I refused, and began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. From the first few doses I felt the benefit. The pains left, urination was corrected, and I have had no recurrence of these ailments."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

One pill a dose, 25cts. a box. All dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto

Funding Britain's War Debt

One Thousand Bonds in the Sum of $4,600,000 Each

The last steps in the funding of Great Britain's war debt of $4,600,000,000 to the United States have been taken. For the demand note held by the American Government the British Government has substituted 1,000 engraved bonds in the sum of $4,600,000 each. They date from December 15, 1922, and mature December 15, 1984. They will bear interest at 2 per cent. up to 1932 and 3½ per cent. thereafter.

If the United States Government should want to market any of this debt the British Government obligates itself to furnish for any or all of the 1,000 bonds definite engraved bonds of a form suitable for such sale. A bond of $4,600,000 denomination is not calculated to appeal to the popular demand, even in this land holding pretty much all of the world's gold. But the British Government, on the other hand, is permitted to postpone payments on principal account, but not for more than two years. It can also pay interest or principal with Liberty bonds at par, and will thus find a substantial advantage whenever these bonds are selling below par.

It is a huge debt figure which is thus dealt with in a manner as simple as that of $1,000 between two individuals. Nothing like it has ever before been placed in the way of settlement between two nations. It is so great and must be so burdensome to the debtor that it might have proved a serious trouble but for the fact that the problem has been approached from both sides in goodwill, and there, without any doubt, it is to remain is to bring on to liquidation.

Approached in a similar spirit, the rest of the unsettled questions and disturbing conditions left by the World War can be disposed of with equal advantage to the peace of the world.—The N. Y. World.

Decision On Wheat Marketing

An Event of Great Importance to Western Canada

The decision of the Regina convention in favor of the organization of a voluntary wheat board plan in each of the prairie provinces, with a council selling agency in an event of first class importance to Western Canada. It is the result of the failure of the compulsory wheat board plan and will be the newest and largest venture in the way of co-operative effort.

It is nearly the attempt of a large number of western farmers to work out their own salvation as far as the marketing of their wheat is concerned. The attempt, undoubtedly, is not a novel of some kind, which has existed for several years, will probably be well sustained at the present on account of the somewhat less favorable price for wheat this year.

The organization of the new voluntary marketing scheme is not an easy one, and it would be a disappointment, the success of which depends in large measure on the extent to which the western farmers join in it, now that the compulsory plan has proved abortive. The scheme who will sign a contract to sell their grain through the pool for a term of years. Doubts have been expressed as to the success of the scheme if its of a voluntary scheme. It is now about to be tested and the results will be watched with the greatest interest. The voluntary marketing plan gives the farmer a better net return for his crop is a good thing not only for the farmer, but also for the whole country, and it would be an encouragement to the immigration of new settlers.—Manitoba Free Press.

Importance of Fur Trade

Value of Furs Sold Show Heavy Increase Over Previous Year

Anybody who imagines that Canada's fur trade is not an important item in the business of the country had better study the figures that have just been issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. They would then realize more than ever the truth of the old adage that "the infant life of Canada was nourished by the fur trade." The stimulating figures issued by the bureau show that in the season of 1921-22 the value of furs sold increased over the previous season by more than $7,000,000. In that season the total value of pelts of fur-bearing animals taken was $17,377,-824, an increase over the previous season of $7,228,750, or 72 per cent.—Victoria Daily Times.

Canada Is Prosperous

At present the Canadian people have $1,837,000,000 invested in Dominion of Canada bonds. Their demand deposits in the chartered banks of Canada total $357,240,000. Their notice deposits (savings) total $1,227,553,431. Canada's international trade is the greatest it has ever reached, and the national revenue is the highest in the country's history.

Wise is the office holder who has sense enough to resign on account of ill-health just before the ax falls.

Crows hold courts for the trial and punishment of their delinquent fellows.

Flowering plants grown in the British Isles include more than 250,000 varieties.

When a barber gets out of one scrape he gets into another.

One year on the planet Mercury is equal to about 88 of our own.

Economical Transportation

Motor Trip Los Angeles to Toronto Costs $100

Many are the tales of motor rambles in this age of ever-widening scope, but what should prove a new record in this history of economical transportation is detailed in the story of H. G. Neal, Toronto man, who arrived home after a 4,500 miles jaunt. The total cost of the journey, including gasoline, oil and food for the four persons who comprised the party, was approximately $100.

Slightly over a month ago Neal, with his wife and four children set out for Toronto from Los Angeles in his 1919 model "flivver." During the entire trip he had one puncture and averaged 29½ miles to the gallon of gas. No accidents or mechanical trouble whatever were encountered. For the most part the party camped on camp sites and purchased considerable of their "grub" from farmers along the way. According to the reports, in the middle west he purchased eggs for 15 cents a dozen.

A Public Duty

Must Ever Be On the Alert to Guard Against Spread of Disease

Science has nearly eliminated several of the eighteenth century diseases which haunted eighteenth-century tranquility.

"Fever and ague," typhus and the ever-prevalent smallpox are rare, because a greater sense of civic responsibility enforces precaution.

But medical science cannot do everything. That same sense of common duty must help. And it is evident that many people would like, even in these days, to avoid the bother of notification, isolation and the rest. That is becoming a growing humanity, due to the prolonged effort of generations, has diminished the sense of danger.

Yet we must never consider ourselves safe. The influenza plague that followed the war showed how disastrous such visitations may be when they descend upon crowded modern communities. More than ever is it necessary to assist science in its efforts to rid us of disease. We can assist it by obeying all sensible sanitary regulations. That is for the public.—Daily Mirror, London, Eng.

Green Old Age Kept in Health by Dr. Hamilton's Pills

Their Occasional Use Keeps the System in Healthy Condition

A Mild Bowel Regulator

Easy to Take, Do Not Weaken or Sicken, Give Effective Action

With old age, nature's forces slow down, and feed the kidneys of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They flush out the system, keep it free from poisonous wastes, clear the liver active and old the stomach. To men and women past middle life Dr. Hamilton's Pills are of wonderful benefit. To keep regular, full of pep, in good spirits, use these wonderful pills frequently. 25c at all dealers.

To Handle Wheat Crops

Railways Making Provision to Handle Grain Expeditiously

New equipment on the Canadian National Railways and for the Canadian Pacific Railway which will enable each system to place between forty and fifty thousand cars in the grain handling service this season is being provided. An expenditure of about $50,000,000 on new equipment for the Canadian National Railways was recently announced. With the biggest wheat crop in Canada's history in prospect the railways are making provision for handling it expeditiously.

BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera infantum and stomach troubles come without warning, and when a baby is not at once given the prompt the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in the house where there are young children. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will relieve the baby. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Cannot Recognize Russia

Recognition of the Russian Soviet Government by the United States cannot come while its leaders continue to evince "a spirit of destruction at home and abroad," according to a declaration by United States Secretary of State Hughes, made public recently.

Jordan Canals Urged

Canals to irrigate the Plain of Jordan, round the Dead Sea, are proposed. Wide areas covered with fertile soil could then be cultivated.

More than 12,000,000 letters, cards, and parcels were mailed in England with insufficient stamps during a recent six months.

Speaking of love, a man should look before he leaps—otherwise he might fall in.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

World's Dairy Congress

Will Be Held in Three Cities of U.S. to Consider Questions of Broadest Import

In order to fully present the milk industry of the United States, the World's Dairy Congress will be held in three cities. It will open at Washington, D.C., on October 2. There the delegates will be officially welcomed and will have an opportunity to inspect the Government's laboratories, experiment stations and statistical and economic bureaus. The sessions held there on October 2 and 3 will consider questions of the broadest import.

The work of the National Dairy Council in promoting national health by educating the public as to the food value of milk and its products will be the auspices of the National and later State Dairy Councils.

Corns cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Remover offers a speedy, sure and satisfactory relief.

A Gigantic Effort

How France Has Been Repairing the Devastated Areas

Out of 2,600,000 inhabitants of France driven from their homes during the world war, 75 per cent. have returned, according to Robert Messon, Director-General of the Credit Lyonnais, Paris, at the eleventh annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in New York, as recorded in Forbes Magazine. Of the 1,500 miles of standard-gauge track destroyed, 90 per cent. are operated again. Out of 8,000,000 acres of devastated land, 91 per cent. are restored. Of the 22,500 industrial plants destroyed, about 90 per cent. are working again. So far, the expenditure on reconstruction of material damages amounts to $4,000,000,000 francs, and the payments for personal damages (capitalization of pension compensations, etc.) to $1,000,000,000. With the interest paid on the loans raised to procure these amounts, the French Government has disbursed to date more than 37,000,000,000 francs. Even taking the dollar, as I have done right along, at fifteen francs, though the franc was worth more at one time, this means nearly $6,500,000,000. This is truly a gigantic effort.—From the Christian Science Monitor.

Fooled the Parson

A negro parson overheard a boy of his congregation say to another threateningly: "You keep away from me or you'll land in de place dat begins with a H and ends with an L."

Instantly the parson thought of the place with the four-letter name where they never have any coal trouble, and he reproved the youngster severely.

"I dunno what's in yo' mind, parson," returned the boy, calmly, "but de place I meant was de hospital."

And Still Going Strong

First Convict—"They say Milton took fifteen years to write one page of a book."

Second Convict.—"That's nothing. I've been ten years on one sentence."

Ask for Minard's and take no other

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The Lengthening of Life

Modern Conditions Have Changed Older Standards by Which Men Were Judged

From 25 to 12 for the average man. Long ago a man was considered at his strongest and most beautiful between 20 and 30, at his best as a leader or manager from 30 to 40, as an experienced man of business from 40 to 50, and as a councillor or judge of other men's troubles from 50 to 60. Roughly these divisions are to some extent still correct. Modern life, however, with its increased opportunities for travel and education, has so speeded up conditions that young men of business and politics have by the twenties often acquired enough experience to allow them to rise to their prime early in life. At the other end of life, altered social conditions and better medical attention have allowed physical efficiency to be retained far longer.

Taking No Chances

"So you went after the job. I thought you believed that the office should seek the man."

"I do, but this is a fat job, and I was afraidait might get winded before it reached me."—Boston Transcript.

Socialist Orator.—"Tell me why it is you have to work from morning until night?"

Mere Worker.—"It is the only time we get—we sleep from night till morning."

Germany Buys Coal

Germany has contracted for approximately 750,000 tons of United States coal so far this year it is learned in trade circles.

Man wants but little here below the standard.

New Plant Varieties

Canada First Country in the World to Adopt Patenting of New Plants

Through the efforts of the Canadian Council of Horticulture, endorsed by representatives from fruit and vegetable dealers, packers, jam manufacturers, gardeners, nurseries and amateur horticulturists from all parts of the Dominion, Government registration of new plant varieties had been secured. L. F. Burrows, Ottawa, Secretary of the Council, told members of the Manitoba Horticultural and Forestry Association at a luncheon, and Canada was the first country in the world to adopt this Government patenting of new plant varieties.

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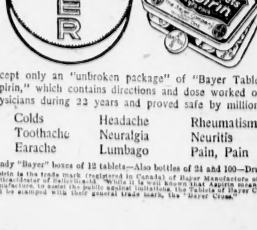

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JOTTINGS OF TOWN ANT DISTRICT

Local News.

Mrs Rufus Headley is visiting with her parents at Denzil, Sask.

Mr and Mrs W. J. Lorimer are spending their vacation at Banff

Miss Etts O'Brien was a recent visitor with Mrs J. Gainer, South Edmonton.

J. C. Tucker, of Vermilion, spent he week end here the guest of his sister, Mrs W. E. Aylwin.

G. C. Cline, of Kinuso, is spending a few days with relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr and Mrs S. Bird have gone on a motor tour to Saskatchewan, where they will visit with Mr Bird's brother.

Mrs Geo. Beal arrived the other day from the Eastern States, where she had been visiting.

Mrs C. S. Wing has returned from a visit to Spokane, where she had a pleasant time. Was round a good deal, and visited with several old Ponoka people.

Mrs A. Finch and son, Leslie, arrived home last week after a prolonged holiday in England. They had a pleasant if unexciting return trip across the pond.

Mrs Aylwin, of Wetaskiwin, who has been the guest of her son, W. E. Aylwin, for the past two months, left on Thursday for Edmonton, where she will spend a couple of months or so with friends

Judging by the amount of business that our local machine agents have on hand, farming conditions have made a wonderful change from last year.

Never in the history of our district has there been such a crop prospect. The grain fields are simply magnificent. Let us trust that Providence will give seasonable weather for the harvest.

Several parties from this district attended the Strathcona federal constituency U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. association convention in Wetaskiwin last night. The meeting was said to have been a success in every way. D. W Warner, M.P., and Miss Kidd, from central office, was in attendance.

School Inspector Owen Williams and family, of Cardston, have been visiting in this neighborhood for a few days, and left for their home on Sunday. Mr Williams is one of the school inspectors who have been let out by the government, and has been appointed principal of the school at Coleman.

Haying is claiming the farmers' attention at present, and it is to be hoped the weather will remain favorable. There is an abundant crop, and from now on let us have warm sunshine. The wheat is commencing to turn in some localities, and it will be only a matter of three weeks ere harvesting becomes general. Truly there is a busy season ahead of our farmers.

Seafield U.F.W.A. will hold a lawn social and bazaar at E. A. Martin's on Thursday, August 9th. Lunches and ice cream will be served after 6.30 p.m. A short programme will be given at eight Dance at 9.30. Ladies please bring lunch for dance.

Mr and Mrs Hugo Smith and family are spending a holiday at Banff.

Mrs Belle Snider, of South Edmonton, is visiting in town with Miss O'Brien and other friends.

Mr and Mrs Robert Noel, of Missouri, are paying a visit to C L. Cline and family

The usual prizes will be given at the fair for turkeys, geese and ducks.

Mrs R. A. Millar and family, of Calgary, is visiting with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Creighton.

Mrs Geo. Gordon returned from Pincher Creek on Saturday. She was accompanied by her daughters, Mrs J. H Galbraith and baby, and Miss Marjorie.

Large numbers from town and district attended the field day at Lacombe Experimental Farm on Friday. They had a pleasant and profitable outing.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs Wing on Friday next at 3 p.m. Friends invited.

It is estimated that something like thirteen thousand men will be required to harvest Alberta's crop this year. That should ease the anemployment situation considerably.

A community service will be held in the Chautauqua tent on Sunday evening at 7.30. Besides the resident ministers Mr Hull, of Edmonton, will speak on prohibition.

Further donations to the Ponoka Fair have been received by the secretary, as follows—D. W. Warner, M.P., $10; J. D Hinkley, farmer, $5; M. J. Cameron, farmer, $5.

The management of the Ponoka Baseball Team have arranged a treat for the local fans. On Saturday afternoon, August 11th, they will play the Edmonton Elks on the local diamond. The Elks, under the management of Jack Starkey, well known to Ponoka fans, are leading the Edmonton Senior League. The local club will be at considerable expense in connection with the game, and every fan in the district is requested to be present. No change in usual price of admission.

JAMES—On Saturday, July 28 to Mr and Mrs J. V. James, a daughter.

ADAM—On Saturday, July 28 to Mr and Mrs Jas. Adam, a son (Still born).

CRAWFORD—On Tuesday, July 31, to Mr and Mrs Allan Crawford, a daughter.

CHURCH NEWS

BAPTIST

Sunday, August 5th.—Sunday school at 11 a.m; Concord at 3 p.m. Ponoka, regular service at 7.30 p.m.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8

Choir practise, Friday, 8.00 p.m

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There will be a grand dance in the Empress Theatre on Monday evening, August 6th. Empress three-piece orchestra. Everybody welcome.

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Canada Faces the Future With Confidence

CANADIANS have always been noted for courage, optimism and faith in their country.

Canada was not built up by pessimists, nor will Canada continue to develop if her people allow themselves to become croakers and grouchers. Canada is fundamentally an agricultural country. We have a soil and climate which can grow the world's finest agricultural products.

Canadian farmers who have earned the capital invested in their farms out of profits in farming are numbered in thousands. These successful farmers have paid off their mortgages, stocked their barns and stables, bought their machinery, made a good living and brought up their families. It meant hard work, but today they are independent.

Money in Mixed Farming

In recent years, at different points on the prairies, oats fed to steers have brought from 70c to $1.07 as against the Fort William price of 42c per bushel, while barley used for the same purpose has brought as high as 59c as against the Fort William price of 35c per bushel. Farmers marketing their coarse grains in this way lower marketing cost, have a sure market and make money on their grain, while at the same time they market their roughage, otherwise often wasted.

The cattle embargo is now off. Steers are worth more money and certain to make good money for the Canadian farmer from now on.

Money in Pigs

The Dominion Experimental Farms have proved by actual test that there is a profit in feeding pigs. Last year at the Central Farm, Ottawa, after paying for feed, labor, interest and depreciation, the net profit per pig was still $4.63.

Profits from Sheep

As money makers, sheep are hard to beat. In every Province from Prince Edward Island to British Columbia are found many flocks returning generous profits to their owners.

We Must Cut Production Costs

Canada is meeting with the keenest competition in the marketing of her products. To hold her own and regain her place on the world's market, she must reduce cost of production.

The only way to do this is to increase production per acre, per cow or per other unit.

Pot improved quality, also, is essential to meet market demands.

The quantity and the quality of the products and the cost of production in competitive countries is beyond our control.

Prices of agricultural products are regulated by world supply and demand.

Hence, decreasing production will not help the Canadian farmer.

Poultry Pays

Poultry makes money for those who adopt modern methods, whether East or West. Little Prince Edward Island markets co-operatively in cartons, shipping annually upwards of one million dozen eggs. The British Columbia Co-operative Poultry Men's Exchanges markets in the same way, thus saving ruinous glut in their local market.

There is a market for good Canadian horses, whether light or draught.

Grow Seed

Canada's Northern grown seed possesses extra vitality. There is a large market for it to the south. Canada exports seed potatoes, but imports other seeds. She has the opportunity to grow seeds for herself and for export.

The Future

Ten years from now the pessimists of today will have been forgotten. Britain has removed the embargo against our cattle. She wants our beef and bacon, our cheese, butter, eggs and apples, our wool and flour. As the population of the United States increases, she will recognize less and less against us on the British market. Eventually, she will herself be an importer of many other food stuffs besides wheat from this country.

Canada has the men, the climate, the land, the stock and the potential markets necessary for agricultural success. Let us farm with all the industry and science we can muster. Let's get to work and pay our debts. Canada is moving forward with confidence in its future. Let us keep going ahead.

Have Faith in Canada

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THE LAW OF HEMLOCK MOUNTAIN

— BY —

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That was an assertion which there was neither health nor wisdom in contradicting and Spurrier waived. His last card was played.

"And I am going to cast you asidebankrupt you—ruin you! Blasted out Harrison, "unless you absolutely meet my requirements during a period of probation. That period will engage you in a very different matter. For the present you are through with the Kentucky mountains. To new lands will be a difficult one, and it should put you on your feet. It is one that can't be accomplished at all unless you can do it. You have that one chance to retrieve yourself. Take it or leave it."

"What are your terms?"

"You will sail to-morrow for Liverpool. I will give you explicit instructions to-night. Go prepared for an extended stay abroad."

For the first time Spurrier's face paled and insurrection flared in his pupils.

"Sail for Europe to-morrow!" he exclaimed vehemently. "I'll see you damned first! Doesn't it occur to you that a man has his human rights? I have a wife and a home and when I am ordered to leave them for any definite time I'm entitled to a breathing space in which to set my own affairs in shape. I am willing enough to undertake your bidding—but not to ostracism."

Spurrier paused at the end of his outbreak and stood looking down at the seated figure, which to all intents and purposes might have been the god that held, for him, life and death in his hand.

And as he looked Spurrier thought he had never seen such a gradual and ness and merciless indifference in any human face. He had always believed in the thundering of passion before which the walls about him seemed to tremble, but this manifestation of adamant implacability was new, and he realized that he had invited destruction in defying it.

"As you please," replied Harrison coldly; "but it's ostracism or ruin, all. I've already outlined the alternative and since you refuse, our business is concluded. You have yet to feel disposed to talk or think of what you're entitled to, remember that my view is different. All your claims stand forfeit in my judgment. You are entitled to just what I offer. You are said offer—and no more."

The chief glanced toward the door with a glance of dismissal, and the door became to Spurrier the emblem of finality. Yet he did not rise or move toward it.

"I appreciate the need of prompt obedience, where there is an urgent haste," he persisted, "but if a few days wouldn't impair your plans for those days to make a flying trip to Kentucky and to my wife."

The face of the seated man remained absolutely set but his eyes blazed again with a note of personal anger.

"At a time when I was vitally interested, you chose to leave me unenlightened about your intentions or arrangements. Now I can claim no concern in them. Most wives, however, permit their husbands a certain latitude of movement as business requires. If yours does not, it is her own misfortune. I think that's all."

Spurrier knew that the jaws of the trap were closing on him. He had been too hasty in his outburst and he turned toward the door, but as he had fell on the bronze knob Harrison spoke again.

"Think it over, Spurrier. I can—and will ruin you—unless you yield. It is no time for mawkish sentiment but until five-thirty this afternoon. I shall not consider your answer final. Up to that hour you may recede from it, if you wish."

"I will notify you at five," responded the lieutenant as he let himself out and closed the door behind him.

That day the conspiracy bound spent in an agony of conflicting emotions. That the other held a bolt of destruction and was to be used to launch it he did not intend to doubt. If it were launched over the head upon which his cottage stood would no longer be his own. He must either return to obey—ruin—and bankrupt, or strain with a new tax, the confidence he had asked of her, with the pledge that he would return soon and for good.

But if, way back at the crest of bumbled pride and Glory's hurt, he maintained his business relations, the path to eventual success remained open.

As long as the cards were being shuffled chance beckoned and as one o'clock Spurrier went into a cigar-store booth and called a downtown telephone number.

"You hold the whip hand, sir," he announced curtly when a servant had put Harrison on the wire. "When do I report for final instructions?"

"Come to my house—this evening," ordered the master.

Most of the hours of that evening, except the two in Harrison's study, Spurrier spent in writing to Glory, tearing letter after letter to bits as the nervous moisture bedewed his brow. It was so impossible to give her any true or comprehensible explanation with pressing weight of compulsion. His messenger must be trusted on that reason. He was crossing the ocean without her and she would read into it a note of abandonment that would hurt and wound her. He had taxed everything else to the limit, and now he was overtaxing her loyalty.

Yet he believed that if in his dejected misery of life these were his last thing left upon which he could draw positively and with faith, it was that love; a love that would stand staunch though he were forced to hurt it once again.

So Spurrier sailed and, having arrived on European soil, took up the work that threw him into relations with men of larger caliber in Capel Court and Threadneedle Street. His mission carried him to the continent as well: from Paris to Brussels and from Brussels to Hamburg and Berlin, where the quaint customs of the Kentucky Cumberlands seemed as remote as the life of Mars—remote but, to Spurrier, as alluring as the thought of salvation to a recluse who has foresworn the things of earth.

In terms of dead reckoning, Berlin is as far from Hemlock Mountain as Hemlock Mountain is from Berlin, but in terms of human relations Glory felt the distance as infinitely greater than did her husband. To him the Atlantic was only an ocean three hundred and miles wide; often crossed and discounted by familiarity. To her it was a measureless waste separating all she knew from another world. To him continental dimensions were reckoned in hours of commonplace railway journeying, but to her the "measured mile" was both lengthwise and perpendicular, and when she passed old friends she fancied that she detected in their glances either pity for her desertion or the smirk of "I-told-you-so" malevolence.

It even crept to her ears that "some folks" spoke of her as "the widder Spurrier" and that Tassie Plumford had chuckled, "I reckon he's either gone off an' left her for good an' all this time. Folks says he's fled away t'escape her scoldin'-ness."

Glory told herself that she had profound faith and that she was in no danger of faltering, but as the weeks lengthened into months and the months lengthened into years she felt that she was becoming bitter.

Then came the first Spurrier passes as a British subject, bearing British passports. That had been part of the royal plan to safeguard the interests what American interests he represented and it had proven effective. He had almost accomplished the difficult task of self-expedition, set him by Harrison, when calamity overtook him.

So Spurrier finished his packing. He was going out on to the streets to watch the applause of the war spirit and to make railway reservations.

Of course he knew at the shop and the man opened it. Stiffly erect, stood a squad of military police and stiffly their bayonets were fixed.

"You are Herr John Spurrier," he inquired.

The man nodded.

"It is, perhaps, in the nature of a formality, which you will be able to arrange," said the officer. "But I am directed to place you under arrest. England is in the war. You are said to be a former soldier."

CHAPTER XX.

Over the ragged lands that lay on the "high side" of Hemlock Mountain breathed a spirit of vitality and almighty hope. It had been two years since Spurrier had left the hills and he had planted to develop, and in those years had come the transition of a shiftless.

Along muddy streets the logs still wallowed, but they were now deeply rutted by the teaming of ponderous oil gear and one saw young men in khaki-colored and gray suits, with keen-faced engineers and oil prospectors drawn in by the stimulus of wealth from the far trails of Mexico and the West. One heard the jargon of the fields and learned the new vocabulary of its devotees. "Wildcatters" following surface indications by hunches were feeling and were driving. Gushers rewarded some and "dry holes" and "duster" disheartened others. Into the medieval life of hills that had stood age-long unaltered and aloof came the influence of the blooded enterprise, the eager guessing and quick and miraculous reward.

In Lexington and Winchester oil exchanges carried the activity of small bourses. In newspapers a full page of advertisement proclaimed itself.

Oil was king. Oil and the by-product, gasoline, that the armies needed and that the thousands of engines on the earth and in the air so greedily devoured.

But over on the far side of the ridge men only fretted and chafed as yet. They had the oil under their feet, but for it there was no outlet. They had not had without a seaport, they looked over at neighbors' prosperity while they themselves still "hurried for cash necessities."

American Oil and Gas had locked them in while it melted the other cow. It had its needed chariots for piping both fields, but a man was either dead or somewhere across the world from the Spurrier holdings in default of controlled rights of way.

Glory thought less about its wonderful things that were going for and than did others about her, because she had a lonely heart. Her pride came from Spurrier, and the faith that she struggled to hold high like a banner hailed to the mastheads of her life, hung drooping. In the end her colors had been pulled down.

If John Spurrier returned in search of her how she would go into hiding from him, but it was only because of that he would return. He had married her on impulse and had set fire of excitement. He had loved her passionately—but not with a strong enough fidelity to hold him true and now she believed he had turned back again to his old idols. She was repudiated, and she ought to hate him with the bitterness of her mountain pride, yet in her heart's core there she would never forgive him and never return to him, she knew that she had loved him and would always love him.

She no longer feared that she would have hampered him in the society of his more finished world. She had watched Helen Merrivale and had come to know that other world for herself. She found that the girl who stood in her veins could claim its own rights and respond graciously. Hers had been a submerged aristocracy, but it had come out of its chrysalis, bright-winged.

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An Iceless Icebox

Will Keep Milk Sweet for Two Days In Warmest Weather

Make a double box, the walls four inches apart, with a close fitting cover, or covers, but no bottom. Dimensions 20 inches wide, 36 inches long and 18 inches deep, inside measurement. The size, however, may be governed by the need.

Several one-inch holes should be bored in the side walls of the inner box and covered with fine screen. In a shady place dig a hole the exact size of the outer box and floor it with several inches of gravel. Place the box there with the top flush with the surface of the ground and the gravel forming the bottom. Every morning pour on the gravel a pailful of fresh, cold water and the icebox is iced for the day. A larger box would require more water.

This box has kept milk sweet two days during the warmest weather. The evaporation keeps the temperature low.

The above is not only useful where one does not have an icebox, but is excellent to take care of the overflow from that always congested receptacle. It would be exceptionally good on a farm where there is a good deal of milk and butter to be taken care of.

Making Pets of Fish

Zurich Doctor Has Fish Eating Out of His Hand

Is it possible to tame fishes in the same way as we do other creatures that become our pets? The answer is, "Yes."

Dr. Fastenrath, of Zurich, has succeeded in taming fish in the Lake of Lugano to such an extent that they eat out of his hand and allow themselves to be taken up and caressed.

For six months the doctor repeatedly visited the lake to put his neck in water, and holding a piece of bread in each hand. At the end of a couple of months the fish came up and nibbled at the bread and eventually became quite friendly.

Upon several occasions Dr. Fastenrath let a white screen down into the water, and placed titbits surrounded by means of a special camera, he took some curious photographs of his finny pets.

Strange Destruction Of Church

"Gone to the Dogs" Was Bishop's Own Lurid Report

Strange was the destruction of a little house of worship north of Hudson Bay, as once reported by the former bishop of the diocese.

He had attended a synod of the Canadian Church at Winnipeg, and there had seen a missionary Bishop who had been six weeks on the way, taking three months for the journey by canoe. The missionary bishop reported gravely that the diocese of a brother bishop had "gone to the dogs," and that the church had perished. He said that the Eskimos in the diocese had built the church with whales' ribs for rafters, and covered it with walrus hide. They had used it for dwelling purposes; but in the time that elapsed between two services the building was set upon by a pack of famished dogs, and actually devoured in a few hours.

Win Many Prizes

Total of 229 Prizes Won by Saskatchewan Farmers in Five Years

From 1911 to 1922, Saskatchewan farmers have won 229 prizes for their grain, grasses and vegetables at international shows held in Canada and the United States. Of these the total of 84 were either sweepstakes or first prizes. In addition a large number of prizes have been won for livestock raised in the province, the exhibition of wheat has been a prominent feature at all the shows where they have been shown.

Utilizing Farm Waste

Paper May Be Made From Straw and Other Material

The possibilities of the development of a method by which straw and other waste on farms may be used in the manufacture of paper are to be investigated in Canada by Sir Frederick Becker, the noted paper manufacturer. He will spend two months in the Dominion.

$2 Is Minimum For Weeklies

A two dollar subscription rate for weekly newspapers is the minimum price at which they can be produced without loss, according to E. Roy Sales, manager of the Weekly Newspaper Association, in addressing members of the Bay of Quinte Newspaper Association.

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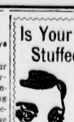

Don't load your stomach with cough medicine.

Send healing medication through the nostrils — send it into the passages that are inflamed with Catarrh.

It's easy to get rid of a bad cold. To drive out Catarrh, to strengthen a weak throat by inhaling Catarrhozone. Get Catarrhozone from your druggist today. Breathe it frequently you keep the air passages free from germs and thereby prevent many a bad cold. Two months' treatment $1.60; small size 50c. Refuse a substitute. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Coming Of Wireless Age

May Direct Path of Everything Moving on Surface of the Earth

Under the heading "Coming of the Wireless Age," a British scientist contributes a striking article to a London newspaper, in which he predicts that wireless will be used in the near future for directing ships at sea, train and trolley service, traffic control on the road, fleets of battleships and aircraft. "It will be possible," he says, "to direct the path of everything moving on the surface of the earth, not even excepting human beings, by means of wireless control."

The initial step in harnessing this potent and little-known force was the establishment some weeks ago of a wireless lighthouse on Inchkeith Island, in the Firth of Forth. By means of this "lighthouse," ships can be directed through the dangerous channels of the Firth by wireless, so that there is no possibility of their running ashore or being wrecked even on the darkest night or in the densest fog.

Steps are being taken, in conjunction with the British Board of Trade and the meteorological office, to internationalize wireless direction of ships at sea, so that navigators of every land is lying in the Port of London a ship that has been specially fitted with powerful wireless receiving sets to give demonstrations of this new method of navigation in all the principal ports of the world.

Setting out from London, this ship's journey will take her to China, via the Mediterranean, Indian Ocean and the Straits, and thence on to North and South America, and back across the Atlantic to Europe and South Africa, giving demonstrations at every big port en route.

The most ambitious effort, however, will be a cross-Atlantic aeroplane flight which is to be made late in the summer. The machine will carry both pilot and observer, but their attentions will be confined to the actual flying side.

Setting out from Newfoundland, for the first 400 miles of its flight the machine will be directed by the Glace Bay Wireless Station. Then it will be picked up and navigated by a wireless "lightship," cruising in midocean, to a point where control will be transmitted to Orgar, the big operating station in this country.

The whole 2,000 miles of flight will be directed by wireless.

Objects to Paying Taxes

Former Kaiser Has Quarrel With Municipal Authorities at Doorn

William Hohenzollern is quarrelling with the Dutch over the payment of taxes. He is now engaged in a dispute with the municipal authorities at Doorn over the question of local assessments. The former German emperor refuses to pay, contending that the municipality is not entitled to any demand because he came to Holland under compulsion.

The Doorn city fathers maintain that he came voluntarily, and have decided to enforce the law with irrespective effect.

The municipal council of Amerongen, where the former emperor resided the first year of his exile, has not been slow in following up the decision of the Doorn council, and proposes to submit its claim for arrears in taxes.

Paid Bill With Gold

The days of the Klondike were recalled in Montreal last week-end when the hotel treasurer sold $5,000 worth of gold dust and nuggets to the Government. A westerner arrived there, settled with his passage and with very little cash. He had several pokes of gold which he asked the hotel treasurer to guard. When he was ready to leave he requested that the gold be sold and the hotel bill deducted. The Government was a ready purchaser.

Recall Scottish Immigration

The residents of Picton district and many others from neighboring counties, as well as public men from different parts of the province, headed by Governor-General Byng and Lady Byng, have just engaged in a celebration to mark the 150th anniversary of the landing of the first Scotch settlers in Canada. A replica of the ship "Hector," which brought the historic immigrants, was a feature in the pageant which marked the event.

Typewriters which are painted white all over are said to improve the users' output and cause less eyestrain.

Sight For the Blind

Sightless Animal Is Made to See By Viennese Scientist

If reports are true, Dr. Paul Kammerer, the famous Viennese scientist, has succeeded, not in restoring sight, but in creating eyes where no eyes were before. In a lecture before the Cambridge University Natural History Society he claimed that he had developed eyes in the 'proteus,' a small newtlike creature that is normally sightless.

The proteus is found in the waters of underground caves, notably in Kentucky, where no light can penetrate. Its entire existence is spent in darkness, and scientists have argued that if it ever possessed vision, this must have been lost thousands of years ago.

Dr. Kammerer stated that he took the proteus—a sickly white-hued creature with no outer vestige of an eye—from its dark environment, and placed it in the daylight. But the effect of ordinary daylight was to carry on a dark pigment to form on the skin which destroyed all chances of optic development. Thereupon, he secured a young proteus and exposed it to a red light for five years.

"The water," he stated, "in which it lived was continually illuminated. Ordinary red light develops the dermant eyes, causes it to grow eighteen times its original size, and makes it penetrate the skin under which it was previously hidden."

The blind proteus, with a blind ancestry of a thousand years behind it, came to see, and its body color changed from a formed pinkish appearance, to a respectable dark hue.

The doctor appears to think there are many hidden things, even in human beings, that may be brought to the surface by suitable illumination.

Volcanoes In Britain

Many Thousands of Years Since They Were Active Say Geologists

The recent performances of Mount Etna have set scientific people speculating about the volcanoes which, they declare, certainly existed at some remote time in the British Isles. They even go so far as to say that at one time Britain may have been a volcano, declaring that its form suggests a breaking through and spreading out of the granite. They do not, however, give any indications of this new settlement themselves with the statement that it must have been a very early volcano—and when a geologist talks like that he means that he puts a period almost incredibly remote. More recent are said to be four volcanoes in Scotland, in Skye, Rum, Mull, and the Atlantic in Ireland, and Northumberland, are believed to have been 10,000 feet high or as high as Etna today; at present, of course, they are extinct. Some geologists, it is also suggests that quite a few tens of thousands of years have passed since they went out of the smoke and lava business. Even the least fearful that you will ever hear of lava streams pouring down the Scottish hills or of tourists dashing to see an eruption in Skye, as also of their dashing to Sicily. There are some interests that must be content to do without.—From the Overseas Daily Mail.

Oldest English Inn

Was Given License As An Alehouse In 1397

One of the oldest inns in England is the George Inn, at a village near Bath, called Norton St. Philip. It is a half-timbered house, with walls three feet thick, and was licensed as an alehouse in 1397. It has historic interest as the Duke of Monmouth and Oliver Cromwell slept beneath its roof—the Duke on Monmouth, on the night of June 26, 1685, just before the battle of Sedgemoor. There is a small oak chair of the same period which was used in this bedroom; and the massive oak door with its original hinges and strong iron bolts which used to secure it in those far-off days. Also may be seen nine old oaks settles and several deep oak cupboards; and the rooms contain much fine oak panelling.

Wheat Exports Increase

Exports of wheat from Canada during June amounted to 22,228,893 bushels compared with 11,760,477 bushels in June a year ago. Wheat flour exports also increased from 764,622 barrels to 904,019 barrels. During the ten months ended June, wheat exports were 205,000,000 bushels, an increase of 68,000,000 bushels over the same period a year ago.

Hubb—"Haven't I always given you my salary check on the first of every month?"

Wife—"Yes, but you never told me you got paid on the first and the fifteenth, you embezzler!"

Self is lost to the individual who assumes the airs of others.

"The grain of Mustard" for health

Don't refuse the mustard when it is passed to you. Cultivate the habit of taking it with meat, especially fat meat. It stimulates the digestion and aids in assimilating your food.

but it must be Keen's

Household Hints

Valuable Recipes For the Busy Housewife

Chocolate Raisin Frosting

1 cup milk, 1 cup confectioner's sugar.

4 squares unsweetened chocolate.

1 teaspoon vanilla.

½ cup chopped Sun-Maid seeded raisins.

Cook milk and chocolate together, stirring constantly until thick. Add sugar and cook again until thick. The mixture should drop heavily from a spoon. When cool add raisins and flavoring and spread on a cold cake.

Apple Cake

4 cups flour, 1 teaspoon salt.

6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 beaten egg.

4 tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon cinnamon.

½ cup sugar, 1 cup Sun-Maid seeded raisins.

Apples, 2 cups milk.

Sift together the dry ingredients and rub in the butter as for biscuits, add the beaten egg and the milk, work to a smooth dough and spread on a shallow baking pan. Spread the top with melted butter and sour tablespoon sugar mixed with one teaspoon of cinnamon. Cover this with one cup of raisins and cover the raisins with peeled, cored and sliced apples. Bake in a moderate oven thirty minutes.

Mystery of the Heavens

Inventors Spent Much Time On Instruments to Measure Sun and Stars

Professor H. Turner, in a lecture delivered at the Royal Institute, said that we could make a soup-plate seem the same size as the sun or the moon by putting it at a suitable distance from the eye.

The subject of his lecture was, "The Size of a Star," and he told his audience how ingenious world astronomers had been in inventing accurate methods of measurements.

"You will have noticed that the sun and the moon seem to be the same size, but we have no idea times larger than the moon. Now, even if we know the distance of the stars from the earth, they seem to be of no size at all, even in the largest telescope."

It looked as if it were not possible to know the size of the stars until Michelson, the American, showed how to adapt a small telescope to a system of mirrors.

In that way the first star, Alpha, in the constellation of Orion, was measured and found to be 400 times as large as the sun. It was hoped to measure a smaller star in the future.

London Still World's Financial Centre

Secret of Supremacy Is Perfected Machinery of Money Market

Despite the fact that the United States now holds half of all the monetary gold in the world London still retains its position as the world's financial centre. Various reasons are given for this fact, but the real secret of its continued supremacy is the perfected machinery of its money market. Its marvellous discount market, its expert appraisal and knowledge of world markets for goods of practically every kind, its complete and lasting system of insurance, and, largely as a result of all this, its low interest rates—these are the things that have kept London's position relatively secure. It is the result not only of the long tradition of the individual British banker, but of the generations of training and tradition behind him.—New York Herald.

Little Unemployment

Statistics published by the Dominion Labor Gazette show a marked increase in employment in all industries. Unemployment has fallen 50 per cent. as compared with a year ago.

Machines for the detection of the deadly carbon monoxide gas, for use in mines, are now being tested.

Beacon Lights For Night Mail Flyers

Route Between Chicago and Cheyenne Will Be Illuminated

Thirty-seven searchlights, to be installed along the "after dark section" of the trans-continental aeroplane mail routes to be established by the post office department this summer have been shipped by the General Electric Company from its plant at Schenectady to route between Chicago and Cheyenne, Wyo.

Each one of these lights has a rated illumination of 5,300,000 candlepower.

These searchlights will constitute the beacon posts of the night by which the postal aeroplane pilots will be guided over the entire 809 miles of the night air route.

At each town where the lights are to be placed an emergency landing field will be located, scientifically illuminated, to be used by the pilots if a landing is necessary.

Each light will be mounted on a steel tower 54 feet high, and will be operated automatically by electric motors.

DIARRHOEA and VOMITING Doubled Up With Pains

If you are suddenly attacked with diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cramps or pains in the stomach or any looseness of the bowels do not waste valuable time but at once procure a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and see how quickly it will relieve you.

Mrs. Ernest Morris, 3 Webb St., London, Ont., writes:—"I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for what it has done for me.

Some time ago I took an awful violent headache, then started to vomit and this kept on until I literally stand it all day; towards evening intense pains came in my bowels and I was just doubled up the pains were so bad; the perspiration stood out like beads on my forehead; then the diarrhoea started and I really thought I was going to die.

My husband went to the drug store and got a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; he gave me one dose, it relieved me, and by noon next day the diarrhoea had stopped and the pain was all gone too.

Now I will never be without Dr. Fowler's in the house."

Be sure to adopt a small telescope to a system of mirrors.

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Frenchman's Daring Stunt

Rode Bicycle to Ground from Eiffel Tower Station

Riding from the first station of the Eiffel Tower to the ground on a bicycle was the daring achievement of a young Frenchman. In the first leap the bicycle covered forty steps. The remaining steps were covered at the rate of from fifteen to twenty in each jump. In less than one and one-half minutes he had conquered the entire distance of ninety-yards and was only slightly scratched on one leg as he rounded a post at the bottom. Not a burr on the bicycle was loosened.

Dusting Cotton From Airplane

Fifteen cents an acre is what a commercial aviator charged to distribute poison over cotton fields in Texas, and the plane required only three hours to dust the 460-acre field. The farmer who employed the aviator said it would have taken more than three days to dust the cotton in the ordinary way.

The Prince Is Winner

Added interest was given to Calgary's most successful summer exhibition by the winning of first place for Clydesdale females by "Balcairn Ringlet," the beautiful yearling filly recently imported for the Prince of Wales' ranch near High River.

When a woman loses her temper she shows her age.

MURINE Keeps EYES Clear, Bright and Beautiful
Write Murine Co., Chicago, for Free Eye Book

Canada's Standard Smoke
BRIER
TRADE MARK
REGISTERED

The Food Situation In Germany Is Now Said To Be Serious

Berlin—Berlin was a city of penniless billionaires tonight. Bank deposits and foreign bills of exchange were useless, as the banks had only small amounts of currency, which were paid out today in small bills. Many tourists were unable to get money enough to continue their journeys. The banks promise to have currency tomorrow, but no large bills are yet available in Berlin, and foreign monies are entirely out of circulation.

The food shops in various parts of the city have exhausted their supplies of sugar, flour and rice, and the police have been ordered to give special protection to food transports.

The political aspects of the situation are such that the municipality of Greater Berlin has officially petitioned the Government to take immediate steps to safeguard and reorganize the city's food supply and inaugurate a system of price control. This week's price index shows food prices to be 71,000 times the pre-war average.

In consequence of the food difficulties, Chancellor Cuno has telegraphed the heads of the various agricultural organizations, appealing to them to put the early potato crop on the market with the least possible delay.

The present official rate on mark exchange is 760,000 marks to the dollar, but speculators today were giving $60,000.

London.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Duesseldorf says the questions of food and wages are growing acute. Food supplies are slowly decreasing, and only a few shopkeepers kept open all day. Anxious crowds surrounded the banks and exchange offices.

The dispatch adds that the Ruhr outwardly is calm, but that underneath disquieting symptoms are discernible. The people are sick of being coerced and would like to end the situation, but will not yield.

Passive resistance has lost a certain number of supporters, but still remains a very definite obstacle to peace. The correspondents say that resistance will end in about three months, "when the people are faced with the approaching winter without coal or work, and perhaps foodless."

Aaron Sapiro Coming

Co-operative Marketing Expert Will Address Many Meetings

Regina.—Aaron Sapiro, the world's greatest co-operative marketing expert, will deliver a series of addresses in Western Canada, commencing in Calgary on August 2nd. He will be in Edmonton on August 3rd, and will address a mass meeting in the Regina Stadium on the evening of August 4th. There will be a conference at Saskatoon on Monday, August 6th. At this meeting there will be represented many of the business interests of Western Canada that are desirous of seeing the farmers receive a better price for their crops. It is expected that this representation will include retail merchants, wholesalers, bankers, managers of loan companies, implement men, lumbermen, the organizers of rural municipalities, boards of trade, representatives of transportation companies as well as farmers and their organizations.

A mass meeting will be held in Saskatoon on August 7th, on the 8th and 9th, Mr. Sapiro will be in Alberta, and on the 10th at Moose Jaw. He will be in Swift Current on August 11th. All the meetings will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, with the exception of Regina, where the meeting will be held in the Stadium, commencing at nine o'clock, city time.

Brazilian Troops Revolt

Buenos Ayres.—The Fifth Cavalry Regiment of Brazilian federal troops, consisting of 350 men, revolted at Uruguayana in the absence of their officers and rode the streets of the town, discharging their revolvers, reforing after a short fight with state troops.

Establish Grain Station

Hamburg.—The Russian Soviet Government, it is learned, will establish a grain receiving and distributing station here. Russia's export grain will be cleared through this station.

Chinese Must Register

All Chinese in Canada Must Secure Certificates

Ottawa.—The registration of all persons of Chinese origin and descent in Canada is provided for by order-in-council just gazetted, in accordance with legislation passed at the last session of Parliament. The registration, according to place of residence, has to be made with immigration inspectors or commissioners, customs officers, or members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Failing such officers, the Chinese may register with the postmaster of their district. Parents must register children under 12 years of age, but such children must appear before the registrar. Every person so registering must produce three copies of his photograph, of front view and without head covering. A certificate of landing is also required where available.

Chinese thus registered will be issued with a certificate, giving their name, age, description, address, occupation, condition, birthplace, date of entry into Canada and amount of head tax paid. Attached to the certificate will be a photograph of the person concerned.

By another order-in-council now gazetted, officials of the Department of Immigration are made controllers of Chinese immigration at such cities and ports at which they are at present located. Registrars will forward completed registration forms to Percy Reid, Chief Inspector of Immigration, Ottawa, who now becomes also Chief Inspector and Controller of Chinese Immigration. In the case of British Columbia and the Yukon, however, the completed forms will be sent to the Commissioner of Immigration, Vancouver.

Notices will be posted in all post offices and other conspicuous places in Canada, indicating where registration may be made.

Win For Conservatives

Big Landslide Witnessed In P. E. I. Elections

Charlottetown, P. E. I.—The Conservatives made almost a clean sweep in the provincial election, the Bell Government coming out of the debacle with only four seats out of 30, according to what are practically complete returns. The opposition carried the whole ten seats in King's county, where the leader, J. D. Stewart, K.C., was running.

In Queen's the result was nine Conservatives and one Liberal.

In Prince county, three Liberals and seven Conservatives were elected.

Every member of the Bell Government was defeated, in almost every case by large majorities.

Freedom of London for Premier King

London—The Corporation of the City of London unanimously resolved to confer the freedom of the city on Premier Mackenzie King of Great Britain, Premier W. L. Mackenzie King of Canada, and Premier S. M. Bruce of Australia, in recognition of their eminent position and services to the empire. The presentation will take place in October, when the Imperial Conference meets.

Withdraw Troops

Kingston, Ont.—The troops are being withdrawn from Sydney, N.S., as a consequence of the settlement of the miners' strike. The Royal Canadian Horse Artillery and drafts from permanent force units left on Tuesday for this city.

King's Yacht Aground

Southend-on-Sea.—The King's yacht Britannia ran aground on the Shoeburry sands near the mouth of the Thames at the completion of the first round of a race, pluging his bluh and dry and her position is regarded as serious. The King was not on board.

Will Keep Secretaryship

London.—Official denial is made of a rumor which has been prevalent here lately that the Duke of Devonshire wishes to resign from the Colonial Secretaryship.

Increase In Butter Exports

Japan Was Canada's Best Customer During Month of June

Ottawa.—A remarkable increase in the quantity of butter exported during the past twelve months, compared with the previous 12 months, is shown by a report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Cheese exports show a slight decrease.

Butter exported last June was 298,123 pounds, valued at $119,232, compared with 232,330 pounds, valued at $78,909 in June, 1922.

Last month's largest customer was Japan, which country took 88,892 pounds. Butter exports for the year ending June 30, were 22,569,033 lbs., compared with 8,096,773 pounds, the previous year.

Exports of Canadian cheese, in June, were: 64,786 hundredweight, at a value of $1,137,650; while for June, 1922, they were 70,950 cwt., value $1,587,327. Cheese exported for the 12 months ended June, was 1,122,855 cwt., compared with 1,242,235 cwt., during the previous 12 months.

Fresh cream exported to the United States, in June, amounted to 339,620 gallons, value $559,519, compared with 248,514 gallons and value $347,987, in June, 1922. The United States took 241,077 gallons of fresh milk, in June, value $45,877, compared with 45,529 gallons, value $11,227, in June, a year ago.

First Irish Appeal To Privy Council

Five Appeals Heard By Judicial Committee Were Dismissed

London.—The first petitions for leave to appeal to the Privy Council from Ireland since the Irish Free State came into being, were heard by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, Lord Haldane presiding.

Previous to the creation of the Irish Free State Parliament the House of Lords was the final court of appeal for Ireland, as for the rest of the British Isles, but Ireland having become a Dominion the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council is the last court of resort for that country. The appeals, five in number, were dismissed.

Expect Rush Of British Farm Hands

Railway Officials Making Arrangements to Handle Large Traffic

Montreal.—Preparations are being made by Canadian National Railway officials at Quebec and Halifax to handle the large traffic in British farm laborers which is expected to begin about the second week in August. As a result of the reduction in fares advertised by steamship companies in the British Isles, it is reported several thousand young Britishers will cross the ocean. Most of them will be sent to Winnipeg for distribution.

Self-Government Is Success In India

Experiment Has Been Justified, Says Sir Frederick White

Simla, India.—Remarkable success has attended the greater measure of self-government extended to the Indian people by the Government of India, according to a statement made by Sir Frederick White, President of the Legislative Assembly of India, speaking at a banquet given in his honor here. The first three years of the Indian Parliament, he said, has proved this.

Situation In Greece Is Grave

Paris.—The situation in Greece is described as of the gravest by Belgrade newspapers, says a dispatch to the Matin, from the Serbian capital. News from Athens declares the Republican movement is gaining headway in the army and that a ministerial crisis is imminent owing to a split in the Venizelist party.

Create New Judicial Districts

Regina.—Two new judicial districts have been created in Saskatchewan, an order-in-council having been passed, Hon. J. A. Cross, Attorney-General, said. These are termed the Maple Creek and Leader districts and will have their centres at those two towns respectively.

WESTERN EDITORS

Chas. R. Morrison, Editor and Assistant General Manager, Daily Journal, Edmonton, Alta.

More Traffic Through Soo Canal

Last Month Shows 70 Per Cent. Increase Over June, 1922

Ottawa.—Traffic through the Canadian and United States canals at Sault Ste. Marie during June showed an increase of 5,683,025 tons or over 70 per cent, over June of 1922. Wheat increased 13,026,590 bushels, or 105 per cent.

During June last there was a total of 18,909,000 bushels of Canadian grain passed through the canal destined to Canadian ports and 6,914,406 bushels for United States ports. Of this total of 25,854,301 bushels Canadian vessels carried 19,288,657, while United States vessels carried 6,625,647 bushels.

B.C. Forest Fire

Area of Several Hundred Acres Devastated By Flames

Vancouver.—Two men have been injured, and a logging camp, including bunkhouse and rigging, together with a considerable quantity of timber, has been destroyed by a forest fire at Menzies Bay, near the mouth of Seymour Narrows, about 150 miles north of Vancouver. The identity of the injured men has not been ascertained, but they have been removed to the Campbell River hospital.

The fire is reported to have commenced in workers' overalls, and it is said to be raging over an area of several hundred acres. The fire is out of control, and is being fought by a crew of 70 men.

Will Give Liquor Law Fair Trial

Premier Bracken to Appoint Strong Commission In Manitoba

Winnipeg.—"It is the purpose of the Government to appoint as strong a commission as possible, and to keep politics as far away from it as we can," declared Premier Bracken when commenting on the new liquor law in the course of the speech from the throne debate. The legislation would be given a fair trial, he said, and nothing would be left undone to ensure its success. In saying that, however, he appealed to the people to recognize their moral responsibilities to get behind the Government in enforcement of the new law.

Dr. Rutherford Buried at Ottawa

Ottawa. — Dr. J. G. Rutherford, member of the Board of Railway Commissioners, was buried in Beechwood Cemetery here. The funeral was an unusually large one, and was attended by ministers of the crown, High Government official and a large representation of the capital's business life. The honorary pallbearers included the entire Board of Railway Commissioners, Sir Robert Borden, Hon. G. P. Graham and Hon. Chas. Murphy.

Entertain Senators From Canada

Paris.—Premier Poincare entertained at dinner Senator Dandurand, Senator Beaubien and other members of the mission accompanying the Canadian travelling exhibition now touring France.

Defends League Of Nations

Expenses Not Within Its Control Says French Writer

Paris.—Recent attacks on the League of Nations have moved Leon Bourgeois to write a two-column letter in defence to Le Temps, which is among the newspapers that have printed the criticisms.

M. Bourgeois summarizes the attacks as directed mainly against the expenses of the league, which have been declared extensive, and the cost of its secretariat. He says the finances of the league are controlled in such a way that the secretariat cannot exercise any action in determining expenses. He points out that the salaries were not fixed by the league itself but by the peace conference under Wilson, Clemenceau, Lloyd George and Orlando.

M. Bourgeois denies the charge that the league seeks to play the role of a super-state. Such a thing is unfeasible impossible under the system of organization, he says.

Father Delorme Case

May Have Commission of Alienists Examine Into Mental Condition

Montreal.—A petition to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council for a commission of alienists to enquire into the mental condition of the Rev. Adelard Delorme is believed to be the next step in the tangled situation that exists in this case. While definite and official information was not available today, it is stated on good authority that this will be the procedure to be followed, says the Montreal Gazette.

Should a commission of experts be named, and should they find that Father Delorme is insane, it would mean his removal from Bordeaux Jail, where he is at present confined, to an asylum and would probably be the last chapter in the case.

First Seaplane Launched at Montreal

Five More Being Built to Fight Forest Fires

Montreal.—The seaplane E.U. was launched here and made a short trial flight, at the end of which it became the property of the Canadian Government. It cost $20,000 to build and is equipped with Liberty-powered Rolls-Royce engines. The seaplane is the first of six now being built here and will be used in fighting forest fires.

Railway Construction Activity

Ottawa. — Employment conditions throughout the country showed a slight improvement on July 1, reports to the Bureau of Statistics from 5,755 firms, with an aggregate of 810,125 persons, showed an increase of two per cent. The greater activity is indicated in the Western and Maritime Provinces. The most notable increase in employment is on railway construction and maintenance, which is up to 189.

Restocking Jasper Lakes

Winnipeg.—Restocking the lakes at Jasper National Park by Dominion parks officials is now under way. 50,000 Atlantic sea trout and 45,000 salmon trout fingerlings were liberated in two lakes on the Canadian National Railway. The sea salmon fry were liberated in Patricia Lake and the salmon trout fingerlings in Pyramid Lake. More work along this line will be carried out within the next few weeks.

Germans Arrest French Courier

Berlin.—The Berlin newspapers report that the German police have arrested a French courier belonging to the French Embassy in Berlin, in an express train near Hagen, on the edge of the Ruhr. Important documents intended for the commander of the French Ruhr army were seized, it is said.

New Mountain Highway Popular

Ottawa.—During the first 23 days subsequent to June 30, the date of the opening of the Banff-Windermere highway, 1,089 motor cars have traversed this road, according to figures received from Banff, Alta., by officials of the Canadian National Parks Branch. Of this number, 488 carried United States licenses.

Message Of Good Will Is Brought To Canada By President Harding

Beaten By Turkey

Turkey Wins War Against Allies Which She Began in 1914

New York—Commenting on the Lausanne treaty, the Times says that on the principle that peace is better than war one can be glad that the Last same negotiations have ended in the signing of a treaty, but that is about the only occasion for rejoicing.

The treaty writes into history the fact that the great powers were beaten by the Turks because of their own moral and intellectual shortcomings, declares the Times, adding that, while the Allies were beaten, the Greeks and Armenians will have to pay the bill. "Nevertheless since the powers entered into a Near East arrangement which really settles nothing, they will have to pay their share in due time," the paper asserts.

The Morning World declares that "the promises of humanitarian obligations have again yielded to political necessities," and the Turks are added have again won a victory for their nationalism which the Central Powers in a military alliance could not overthrow and their armies.

The World adds: "It is fitting that salvos in Constantinople should celebrate the signing at Lausanne and the peace that in 1923 Turkey has won a war against the Allies which she began in 1914."

Ban Wheels Of Fortune

Edmonton Mayor Puts Clamp on This Sporting Practice

Edmonton.—No more wheels of fortune will be allowed in the city under any conditions, is the edict sent forth by Mayor Duggan.

Wheels were allowed over the on the Class "A" circuit of the fairs and were run here, but the Mayor declares he was not responsible for them, as he simply allowed the same practice here as at the other fairs on the circuit and the ruling against wheels of fortune being a Government affair, should be taken care of by the Attorney-General's Department. City authorities have stepped best organizations running wheels at their affairs in the past, and state they will do so in the future.

Appeal Is Dismissed

Privy Council Throws Out Case of Paper Company Against Newspapers

London.—The appeal in the case of The Fort Frances Pulp and Paper Company, Ltd., vs. the Manitoba Free Press Company, Ltd., and others, involving $500,000 as a claim to recover money paid in excess of prices fixed by the paper control board under the War Measures Act of 1914, was dismissed with costs by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

The judgment states that the appeal raised questions of some novelty and delicacy.

For Railway Commission

Ottawa.—Speculation continues in regard to the appointment of a west ern representative on the Board of Railway Commissioners in succession to the late Dr. J. G. Rutherford, among those mentioned for the post being Hon. Frank Oliver and Lord Thompson, who was a member of the Lake Grain Rates Commission.

Pay Strikers For Time Lost

Montreal.—Striking track laborers employed by the Montreal Tramways Company in maintenance and new construction work, who demand increases in wages have gone back to work.

In addition to a five-cent an hour increase they are to receive pay for the four and one-half days they were off.

Vancouver.—More than 40,000 persons heard President Warren S. Harding of the United States deliver a message of warm friendship and admiration for Canada. Realizing the significance of the occasion—the first time a holder of his high office has visited Canada—the reception accorded him along the line of march and at Stanley Park, where the address was delivered, was most impressive in enthusiasm.

Th President himself frankly admitted that the welcome far exceeded expectations of himself and his party, the manifestations of welcome were continuous, beginning when the naval transport Henderson, bearing the President and his party from Alaska, steamed into Burrard Inlet and received from the British light cruiser, Curlew, a salute of 21 guns, and continuing until 9:30 o'clock when, after attending a state dinner given by the Governments of the Dominion and of the province of British Columbia, Mr. Harding returned to the Henderson for the overnight voyage to Seattle. It was a welcome beseeching friendship and cordiality, not alone for the man himself, but for the great people he represents.

Declaring that the traditional friendship existing between Canada and the United States presents an excellent example to other parts of the world, the President said a significant symptom of the growing mutuality of the two countries appeared in the fact that a voluntary exchange of coal debts, wholly free from restrictions, has been going on. "Our natural and industrial exigencies have made it necessary for us, greatly to our regret, to lay an embargo on coal, but that there is no quota for Canada. We gladly welcome all your steadily stock who care to come, as a refreshening ingredient and influence."

On the historic moment when the President set foot on Canadian soil the 21 gun salute from the artillery sounded. Escorted by Gen. Victor Odlum, and the naval officers and members of the United States Cabinet, the President inspected the guard of honor, which, on his arrival, presented arms while the band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner."

Then the President was escorted back to where Dominion, Provincial and civic authorities presented official welcome, the welcoming address expressing the keen appreciation of the more than century of peace between the two nations, a keen desire to promote still more the friendly relations and admiration for the nation it self and genuine cordiality for the men representing that nation.

Hungary's Wheat Crop Increased

Will Harvest 6,000,000 Bushels More Than Last Year

Washington.—Hungary's wheat crop this year is 6,000,000 bushels larger than last year's crop, said a cablegram from the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome to the Department of Agriculture placed the crop at 60,737,000 bushels with revised estimates of last year's crop at 54,731,000 bushels. All cereal crops in Hungary show larger yields than last year.

No Slice Reported

Washington.—No report of a serious slide in the Panama Canal has reached the War Department and officials of the canal say that normal operation of traffic through the canal would have been reported promptly.

Drury Will Lead Farmers

Toronto.—Hon. E. C. Drury accepted the invitation to become the U.F.O. leader at the meeting of the remnants of the party here, according to the Toronto Telegram.

Intensive Campaign For Wheat Pool Planned By Sask. Grain Growers

Regina.—Two hundred and fifty meetings to be held in the short space of two weeks as part of the proposed programme of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association in an intensive campaign to bring before the farmers its plan of a voluntary wheat pool. The meetings are to embrace the whole of the province and it is hoped to commence them in the week commencing August 6, while the first one should be held on or before August 20.

Geo. Edwards, Vice-President of the Association, and A. J. Macmillan, Secretary, are those upon whom the task of working out the programme has devolved. A number of speakers will be utilized whose names would be published when the list has been completed.

The organization of the association would be drawn upon very largely to foster the arrangements for the meetings. It was not intended, however, to restrict attendance to the meetings to members of the association; they would be public meetings in the widest sense of that term. The speakers would be prepared with the complete plan of the association by which it was hoped to cope with the crop of this year, and would make a detailed explanation thereof.

The plan for this year, it is believed, will be without the contract clause of last year, but it is intended to incorporate in the substantive schemes of the three prairie provinces for 1924. In annuch, however, as by all appearances the Saskatchewan scheme is going to handle the crop through a pool this year, it is assumed that too large a scheme, or too ambitious a one, would fail for lack of those in which to complete organization. Therefore it is likely that the operation of a pool in this province this year will be as extensive as the desire of farmers in general for a pool is translated into willing and immediate support of it.

Speeches Of Poincare Do Not Appeal To Mr. Lloyd George

Bristol, Eng.—Former Premier Lloyd George made a fierce attack on M. Poincare, the French Premier, in a speech here. He objected to M. Poincare's habit of making speeches on Sunday, which, he pointed out, was a day consecrated to goodwilling and hardly a day to "unscrew the cylinders of carefully distilled hatred, ill-will, suspicion and anger among the nations."

Alluding to past negotiations, Mr. Lloyd George said:

"I did not fall out with M. Poincare, but it was very difficult. Mr. Bonar Law also found it quite impossible to work with him."

The former Premier accused M. Poincare of "wickedly distorting" his speeches, and expressed the hope that the British efforts toward peace would not be converted into "mere fuel for further devastating and scorching flames, which burn up the peace, prosperity, progress and happiness of mankind."

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LOCAL NEWS

At usual, the Grand Mean w local, U.F.A., annual picnic proved a great success. The weather was the best; hot, but tinted with a nice breeze, with the result that there must have been about 1200 people on the grounds. The picnic was held on the farm of W. G Cerveney, west of town, and proved a very suitable place for the outing. An attractive programme of sports—baseball, basketball, races etc, was sustained, while addresses were given by Geo. Bevington, of Winterburn, and Jas. Enst, of Edmonton. An active committee, under the guidance of L. J. Autre, had charge, and the day's programme was carried through with out a hitch.

Mr and Mrs J. R. A McDonald left on Thursday for Seattle, Wash., where they may make their home In their departure Ponoka has lost two popular young citizens. Mr McDonald, who has been an employee of Wyman & Small for a number of years, was one of the boys of the town, and a good athlete—one of the baseball team Mrs McDonald is a Ponoka girl in every respect, having been raised here. While the ball game was in progree Tuesday evening Geo E. Bowker took the opportunity of presenting Mr McDonald with a handsome travelling bag, subscribed to by members of the ball club and other friends. In doing so he but voiced the sentiments of all when he said that the Ponoka friends regretted their departure, and trusted that they would have the best of luck in their new home

New stock of Cooking Utensils for harvest at Hornestile's Bazaar

A grand dance will be held at the Battle River Hall, Ferry bank, on Friday evening, August 3rd You are invited.

Gent.'s Bicycle for Sale. Apply, Herald Office.

BASEBALL

LACOMBE HANDS PONOKA A DEFEAT

After playing two tie games of baseball, one at Lacombe, a five inning game, 2-2, and the other at Ponoka, a 3-3 tie in a 10 innings battle to decide which team would be the winners of the first half of the Central Alberta Baseball League, Ponoka ball boys journeyed to Lacombe on Friday evening for the third game, and after having the game on ice up until the last half of the ninth, with the weak end of the Lacombe batting order coming up, went down to defeat

Tear hit to O. Longman, who muffed ball, allowing Tear to reach 1st. Ritz, next man up, struck out. Jackson, next up, with two strikes, flashed a hit over 1st, sending Tear to 2nd. Woodward came next, with a batting average of 63, sent the ball between 1st and 2nd, filling the bases. Chas. Lewis, next man, hit a Texas leaguer over 2nd, and scored Tear and Jackson, winning the game by 4-3.

Rehrey was on mound for Ponoka, and struck out 8, allowing 10 hits. Woodward did the mound work for Lacombe, and struck out 10, allowing 10 hits.

The next game will be played at Ponoka, date to be arranged later.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of ex'ending thanks to the kind friends and neighbors for the kind assistance in four late bereavement. Also our heartfelt thanks to the kind friends for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs MISSIE PARKS & FAMILY

Glen Hewitt

We would like to rectify the mistake so wilfully made by the Leschinvar scribe in regard to the stampede at A. Shapland's. There was nothing of the kind. The young men mentioned are respectable, and with several young ladies were invited to Sunday dinner as guests of Alberta Shapland. It would look as if some people did not know the diff-rence between a a stampede and a Sunday dinner,

Also, the Leschivar scribe must be seeing double, or as some think, his imagination must be gaining the upper hand A. Shapland wishes the world to know that the report is false in regard to their being at J. Henderson's to a party Friday night or any other night.

Quite a number from this busy corner attended the dance at the Rose school Friday night, and report a very good time. There was a very large crowd.

Mrs J. Hewitt spent the week-end with her friend, Mrs Jubb, near Rimbey.

N. Riley and P. Kinny have been doing some horse trading of late.

Mrs Dentman and Mrs Treat, of Gull Lake, motored to Ponoka on Wednesday.

Pat Kinny and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs N. Riley.

A WELL-KNOWN FARMER PASSES

Many will regret to learn of the death of Wm. Parks, which took place at his residence in Ponoka on Tuesday, July 24th. He was known as a quiet unassuming citizen, and held in high esteem.

Wm. Parks was born in Philadelphia, Penn., on October 10th, 1850, and at the age of four moved with his parents to Linn Co., Iowa. At the age of 23 he moved to Rock Co., Nebraska, and in 1900 moved to Alberta, Canada, where he has made his home.

He was married to Minnie Gitchell on July 3rd, 1880, and to this happy union eight children were born, and along with his widow, remain to mourn his departure

Mrs Bessie Creese, Mrs Eulils Cupling, the Misses Vera, Alberta and Ruth Parks, and son, Ralph, of Ponoka, and Mrs Virginia Finley and Pearl Parks, living in Oregon.

Mr Parks was converted to the true faith of Christ in 1891, and after wandering some 24 years was reclaimed and made his peace with God a few weeks ago.

The funeral was held in the Baptist church Thursday, July 26, interment being in Forest Home cemetery.

In loving memory of our dear father, Wm. Parks, who died July 24th, 1923, aged 72 years—

A kind husband and loving father
Has left us alone to mourn;
To wait and watch for his coming.
But, alas, he will never return.
What is so sad as the parting
With a husband and father so true,
Is it any wonder our hearts are broken
And ask ourselves what shall we do?
Our hearts overflowing with sorrow
And anguish no tongue can tell,
Still a voice seems to whisper softly
Don't weep for me, all is well,
And I'll pray for you, my dear ones,
To our father, so full of love,
Till he calls us from earth to join us
In our heavenly home above.
Then we'll put our trust in our Saviour
And ask him for strength to bear
The trials he has put on this earth
For all to share.
But who was he taken from us?
To all I would answer this—
He lost nothing on earth to atone for,
But fly to eternal bliss.
He was ever ready and willing
A helping hand to give
To his fellow men and his country.
His good deeds will ever live.
Among his friends and neighbors,
As they think of the heart death has chilled,
They feel and know his place here
Can never, no never be filled.
Then let us like him be ready
To do whatever good we can,
Wherever in this wide world we wander,
To help a poor fellow man,
Until it pleases our Saviour
To call for the life he has given,
Then we'll hope with his favor and grace,
To meet our dear father in heaven.

Mr Wm PARKS.

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Glen Falloch

If we escape hail and early frost the crops in this di trict will constitute a record. The fields are magnificent.

Frank Haring and Mr Douglas made a trip to Battle Lake after fish recently.

Mr Williams, the Chesterwold postmaster, was in this vicinity hunting horses last week.

A number from this neighborhood spent the day last Sunday at Pigeon Lake.

A. Johnson is done breaking this year and has a nice piece turned over.

Farmers are starting to hay, and the crop will be quite good.

Marcus Crandall has purchased a new Case separator in view of a good fall run.

P. Palechek was a Ponoka visitor last Friday.

TEACHER WANTED

Park Springs S.D. No 1003. Duties to commence about second week in August. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected to

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WETASKIWIN

In the Estate of JAMES MILBURN late of the Town of Ponoka, Farmer Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named James Milburn, who died on the 25th day of February, 1923, are required to file with the undersigned by the 6th day of September, 1923, a full statement, duly certified, of the claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the said Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated this 21th day of July, 1923.

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The Steamship Agent, Ponoka

NOTICE

Having taken over the management of the Federal Grain Elevator at this place, after July 31st, I will discontinue my Veterinary Practice. All parties indebted to me will please call and pay their accounts.

Yours respectfully,
W. PULLYBLANK.

ESTRAY

Team Blue Roan Geldings, branded diamond 8 on left shoulder, about 1600 lbs each, 8 years old Team Blacks Mare and Gelding, about 1250 and 1400 lbs., 7 years old All had halters, and one black had chain attached. Reward given. J. J. DYSON, Yeoford.

LOST

On Monday, July 16th, between Ponoka and Ellice, Lady's small leather Hand Bag, containing small sum of money, spectacles and case, and other small articles. Finder please leave same at Herald office or phone 311, Ponoka.

SEPARATOR FOR SALE

Nicholson & Shaper 30 Cylinder Grain Separator for Sale.—Apply, Chas. Feldman, Morningside, Alberta.

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Black mare, 1200 lbs., 3 white legs, 3 small white spots on forehead, fore top clipped; branded on left thigh; been gone since April. Also, bay mare, about 1400 lbs., Clyde bred, same since last spring. Reward given. M. Jensen, Ponoka.

OATS FOR SALE

Quantity of good heavy Oats, weighing 45 lbs. to bushel. For immediate sale, enquire at U.F.A. Store, Ponoka.

POUND NOTICE

Impounded in Pound kept by S. Tugman, one bay mare, white stripe on face; black mare, white stripe on face; gray horse, 3 white feet; dark horse, wire face, 2 white hind feet; brown mare; sorrel mare with colt, bay horse, 4 white feet; sorrel mare with colt; roan horse; one year-old colt, white face.

S. TUGMAN, Pound Keeper

TENDERS FOR TOWN DEBENTURE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon of July 31st, 1923, re Debenture By-Law No. 216 for a $30,000 issue drawing 6% on the amortization plan. Annual payment $1740. Any or all tenders not necessarily accepted.

W. R. FERGUSON,
Secretary-Treasurer

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Figures issued by the Bureau of Statistics show Canadian unemployment further decreased.

Ancient hieroglyphics discovered north of Matchedash, Africa, point to a very old civilization which has been lost for centuries.

Fate of Raould Amundsen to visit his plans for a flight across North Pole was due to his plane being too light.

Maurice Noonan, thought to have been the oldest life saver in point of service on Sable Island when he retired 10 years ago after 65 years' duty, died at Dartmouth, N.S., aged 90 years.

Thirty-five fur coats valued at $8,000 were stolen from a Yonge Street store in Toronto in a robbery which is believed to have not lasted more than two minutes.

The first known case of an air liner pilot striking for higher wages occurred at Croydon airdrome when a fight was delayed pending adjustment of the difficulty.

Hon. Mary Ellen Smith, former member of the Government of British Columbia and at present member for Vancouver City, has gone to Britain on a federal immigration mission.

The British embassy at Washington ought to be kept dry, out of regards for United States prohibition laws, Dr. J. H. Rushbrooke, of London, Baptist Commissioner for Europe, told the Baptist World Alliance.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce has joined with the Wheat Council of the United States in a tentative agreement under which a joint committee will seek a solution of the wheat growers' problems.

The discovery by two Italian doctors of scarlet fever bacillus is reported by the newspapers. The physicians claim many cases of the disease have been cured by them through the injection of a serum.

A party of German scientists, headed by Hans Ludendorf, brother of the general, has sailed from Hamburg for Mexico to make observations of the solar eclipse September 10. Three minutes of cloudiness or rain would make their trip a failure.

The House of Lords passed, without amendment, the third reading of Lady Astor's bill, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors to any person under 18 years of age. The measure which has already passed the Commons, now becomes law, provided the assent of the Crown is given.

Blind Man Reads With His Tongue

Has No Hands to Feel the Raised Letters

Blind people are taught to read by feeling with Braille lettering with their finger tips.

There is in Kansas City a blind man named W. McPherson, who has no hands with which to feel, so he reads the Scriptures by picking out the raised letters with the tip of his tongue. Mr. McPherson lost his eyesight and his hands in an explosion about seven years ago. He was born in 1866 at Inverness, Scotland, and went to America in 1893. His Bible consists of fifty-nine separate volumes, and each has a particular place in a specially designed bookcase. There is a specially constructed book rest, equipped with pulleys and weights so that a slight contact with the elbow will raise or lower it. It is thus possible for Mr. McPherson to read up and down the pages of his books without moving his body.

Minard's Liniment Heals Cuts

How Like a Man

Mabel.—"I don't see why you should hesitate to marry on $350 a year. Dad says my gowns never cost me more than that."

Gerald.—"But we must have some thing to eat."

Mabel.—"Isn't that just like a man. Always thinking of his stomach!"

Such Is Fame

"Who fiddled while Rome burned?" asked the schoolmaster. "Hector, sir." "No," said the school teacher. "Towser, sir." "Towser! What do you mean? It was Nero." "Well, sir, I knew it was somebody with a dog's name."—Los Angeles Times.

Mrs. J. W. Sampson Tells How Cuticura Healed Her Scalp

"I was troubled for years with a dry scalp and dandruff. There were small scales on my scalp and it itched and burned a great deal. My hair was very dry and lifeless, and fell out when I combed it. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and after a few applications could see a decided improvement. I continued using them and in three months was healed." (Signed) Mrs. J. W. Sampson, 4705-32nd Ave. S., Seattle, Wash.

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Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura, Limited, 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

Sir Geo. Foster to Tour West

Will Speak On Behalf Of League Of Nations Society

Sir George Foster, who is a member of the Executive Committee of the League of Nations Society in Canada, has arranged to make an extended tour in Western Canada during the next three months, during which he will address meetings in a number of cities on the objects of the league.

The first address will be delivered in Winnipeg on Aug. 21 or 22, followed by an address at Brandon two days later. He will appear at Regina on Aug. 28 and subsequently at Moose Jaw.

On September 20 Sir George will speak in Vancouver. On October 1, when he commences his homeward journey, he will be heard in Victoria, and there will also be two meetings in Edmonton and one each at Calgary, Saskatoon and Winnipeg.

As at present arranged the general secretary of the society, H. G. Richardson, will precede Sir George for the purpose of assisting the local branches in organizing the branches and strengthening the society in the various centres.

Sir Robert Borden, President of the League of Nations' Society in Canada, received word from Sir Arthur W. Currie, Principal of McGill, accepting the honorary treasurership of the society.

Sour Stomach Risings Subdued by "Nerviline"

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The wonderful relief you get from twenty drops of Nerviline will surprise you. Take it in sweetened water, and almost immediately you feel better. Nerviline brings up the gas caused by fermenting food, and relieves that distressed feeling in the stomach. When colic or cramps strike you at night, Nerviline is a sure relief. For general use in the family, for sweeping pills, sluggish, lazy livers, Nerviline on hand. 25c at all dealers.

Importance Of Wrangel Island

Stefansson Wants Great Britain to Annex Land in the North

The possible strategic importance of Wrangel Island in the future is being urged by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Canadian explorer, who is in London for the purpose of attempting to persuade the Government to annex that little bit of controversial land in the north polar seas.

Stefansson has had a number of conferences with officials of the British Foreign Office, but no word was forthcoming as to their attitude. In an interview the Canadian explorer declared that his mission in London had a greater importance than that of the annexation of Wrangel or any other bit of land to the British Empire.

"In fact," he said, "I have undertaken the arduous task of trying to do my fellow-Britishers that the world is round—a fact that is generally accepted, but rarely visualized—and that there are a few districts on the most valuable regions on the earth's surface will be the bases for air routes crossing the roof of the world in the shortest distance journeys from America to Europe and Asia."

If the British Government renounces the claim set up in its behalf, Mr. Stefansson considered the Canadian Government will have the best title to the island, because of the landing there of the United States Expedition in 1881, but it neither nation asserts ownership the island may go to the Japanese, who, he says, are awake to its future importance.

Russia's claim to Wrangel Island is dismissed by Stefansson as worthless inasmuch, he declares, as the man after whom the island is named, although a Swede in the service of the Russian Government, never approached closer than 20 miles to the island, and no authoritative claim has ever been established since.

Evening Up War Fatalities

In Two Years Insulin Will Save Same Number

The Boston physician who is demonstrating on an extensive scale the value of the diabetes serum discovered by Dr. Frederick G. Banting, of Toronto, reports that he has lost only seven of the 150 diabetic patients to whom he has given the insulin treatment since last August.

It looks as if Dr. Banting has opened the gates to a permanent cure for diabetes, which kills one in every 100 of us. If so, his discovery in about two generations will save as many people as were killed by the Great War—in battles, or indirectly, back of the lines.

The Herald Wins

Edward K. Iok, the publisher, is offering a prize of $100,000 to the American citizen who can conceive the most practical plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations in safeguarding the cause of world peace. The best plan can be stated in five words: Join the League of Nations.—Hamilton Herald.

Supassed Wireless Records

German wireless telegraphy flashed 51,139 words abroad in one day recently, surpassing all previous records. Thirty-five thousand words were sent to the United States alone, while most of the remainder were sent to Spain, Italy, Russia and Egypt. The bulk of the traffic was at Nauen and at the Eilvese station.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house

Youth Takes To The Knitted Frock For The Sheer Comfort Of The Thing

The one-piece affair is so much more comfortable and there is nothing about it to fly apart. And aside from other things its charm is undeniable, so 'tis the one-piece frock for the lass who would a-sporting go, unless sport is one that requires less strenuous exertion than batting a ball on the fly.

And the frock is knitted! This fact adds, as every woman knows, to the comfort of a garment in which one intends to exercise.

Talking about knitted wear, the golf coat is by far the most popular garment of its sort being worn this season. It is taking the place of the favored Tuxedo jacket of a spring ago.

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Trains For Height Record

French Aviator Experiments Under Guidance of Scientist

Sadi Lecointe, the French pilot, is after a new altitude record and has already reached 12,000 yards—"in principle." He has not left the ground.

All day he sat in a glass case like a bug in a bottle while scientists experimented with him. They sent the temperature of his case down to ten below zero, purified the air he was breathing and finally fed him from an oxygen tank.

All the time he had to manipulate a miniature set of airplane controls while the scientists watched through the glass for symptoms of distress. All they saw were a few shivers emanating from the middle of LeCointe's fur coat.

The conditions are those that the pilot will find when he goes up to break Macready's record. He is using the glass case test as the best way of training for his flight and so scientists can see just what can be done in the way of perfecting his equipment.

Hold Court In Arctic

Assistant Commissioner Worsley of the R.C.M.P., has received word at headquarters of the safe arrival at Akaltvik, in the Mackenzie River delta, Arctic Circle, of the judicial party under Judge Dubuc of Edmonton, which travelled north to conduct the trial of the Eskimo charged with the double murder of Corpl. Dack of the R.C.M.P. and Mr. Binder, a Hudson's Bay Company official, some months ago.

Cape Chelyuskin, Siberia, is the southernmost town in the world.

The All-British Cable

Trinidad and West Indian Governments Favorable to Scheme

Replying to a question in the House of Commons, W. G. Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, said the Government of Trinidad had accepted the proposals of the British Government in regard to a system of all-British cable communications.

The general attitude of the West Indian Governments concerned was favorable to the scheme, said the under secretary, and if the proposals recommended themselves to the Canadian Government it was hoped a beginning might be made with the execution of the plan in the coming autumn.

Fresh Supplies in Demand.—Wherever Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has been introduced fresh supplies have been ordered, showing that wherever it goes the excellent Oil impresses its power on the people. No matter in what latitude it may be found its potency is never impaired. It is put up in most portable shape in bottles and can be carried without fear of breakage.

Soldiers' Settlement

British Soldiers Commend Scheme of Settlement to Comrades

In connection with the Canadian Government's recent decision to place the machinery of the Canadian Soldiers'/Settlement Board at the disposal of the British ex-service men practical evidence of the value of this assistance is seen in a letter received by William Jones, the board's London representative, from two English ex-service men who recently emigrated and are now settled at Meifort, Sask.

The letter says, among other things: "We have nothing but good to say of the treatment we have received. District Superintendent Dixon has given us invaluable advice and in every way he has proved a friend to us. We can sincerely recommend ex-service men who intend to settle on land to consider carefully the advantages of working under the soldier settlement scheme."

Demonstrate Water Supply Systems

The Ontario Department of Agriculture is providing a motor truck to tour certain rural districts and demonstrate water supply systems, plumbing equipment and installation methods. The exhibits include an air pressure water system and kitchen and bathroom fixtures for the farm dwelling. One day is spent in each locality visited, lectures and demonstrations being given in the afternoon.

Settlement 7,000 Years Old

Numerous flint implements, bone harpoons, arrowheads, grindstones, chisels and tooth-headed spears have been discovered in the remains of a settlement at Holmegaardmose, Denmark. It is estimated the settlement is at least 7,000 years old. Although no human bones have yet been found, the excavators uncovered skeletons of elk, reindeer and other animals under a layer of peat several yards thick.

Egypt proper has a population of nearly 1,000 to a square mile.

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Will Ship Coal East

Freight Rate Arrived at on Coal from Alberta Points to Ontario

A freight rate of $7.00 per ton has been fixed, it is stated by Premier Greenfield, for experimental shipments of Alberta coal to Ontario, over the Canadian National lines. Agreement to this effect has been reached between the Government and the railway authorities, and arrangements will be made at once for the first shipments. The coal will be sent from Drumheller, Brazeau, Saunders and other mines on the C.N.R. lines, and will be billed through to various points in Ontario. It is expected that between 4,000 and 6,000 tons will be shipped on this basis.

Under the arrangement the operators will make a price of about $4.50 per ton, which will enable the coal to be sold in Toronto and other Ontario cities at $12 or thereabouts.

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Yukon Gold

Last Year Near Record In Yukon Gold Output

Only once in the history of Canada was the gold production equal to that in 1922 exceeded, and that was in 1906, when the Yukon placers reached the peak of their yield. This was made clear when final figures dealing with the gold production for 1922 were made public by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. It is shown in the report that 1,285,301 fine ounces of gold were mined in the Dominion during 1922. The value is set at $26,316,950, an increase of 36 per cent. above the previous year's figure. In 1906 a total of 1,350,057 ounces of gold were mined, valued at $27,908,155.

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Pear Trees In Manitoba

Expected That In a Few Years Province Will Have Many Pear Orchards

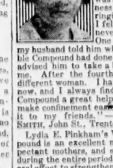
F. L. Skinner, of Dropmore, who is known as the Manitoba fruit wizard, on account of his researches in horticulture, has succeeded in raising at his home a pear tree from imported seeds, that is said to be the only hardy plant, is now confident that in a few years Manitoba will have many pear orchards, although this tree is not indigenous on the American continent. The seeds from which the tree has been raised were brought to the United States from Pukchin, Korea, in 1917 and planted at the Arnold Arboretum, Boston, Mass. This latter institution does not sell plants, but to well known horticulturists who support its work with large financial contributions, it supplies specimens for further development.—Free Press.

One hardly ever hears a man with callouses on his hands say the country is going to the dogs.

TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

A Letter from Mrs. Smith Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Trenton, Ont.—"I am writing to you in regard to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I would not be without it. I have taken it before each of my children was born and after words, and find it a great help. Before my first baby was born I had shortness of breath and suffered a great deal. I felt as if I would die. I took one bottle and



my husband told him what the Vegetable Compound had done for me, and advised him to take a bottle home for me. After the bottle I was a different woman. I have four children now, and I always find the Vegetable Compound a great help. It seems to make confinement easier. I recommend it to my friends."—Mrs FRED H. SMITH, John St., Trenton, Ont.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an excellent medicine for expectant mothers, and should be taken during the entire period. It has a general effect to strengthen and tone up the entire system, so that it may work in every respect effectually as nature intended. Thousands of women testify to this fact.

United for the Tasks of Peace

Paris Paper Pays a Fitting Tribute to Canada

Apropos of the visit to France of the delegation of Canadian school masters and school mistresses and the recent ratification by the French Chamber of Deputies of the agreement conceding Vimy Ridge to Canada, the Paris Temps publishes a leader headed: "Entente Cordiale," paying tribute to Canadian heroism in the war, which, says the paper, is one of the finest pages of the history of Great Britain and France. From the outset of the war Canadians of British and French origin united in a solid unit eloquently expressed in the formula, "two flags, one heart," says the Temps, which also recalls the speech of the Canadian minister calling Canadians to arms.

"According to Canadian customs," proceeds the Temps, "the speech had an immediate effect. Over there promise and fulfilment are one and the same thing and the first Canadian contingent landed for Europe."

The Temps concludes: "Such minutes are decisive in the life of peoples. Canada's example is a living lesson for two great nations united in war by the glorious brotherhood of arms and whom the memory of those fallen on the battle-fields under the British and the French flags ought to continue united for the tasks of peace."

What Insulin Is

Dr. Banting's Discovery For Cure Of Diabetes Explained

Much has been said in the newspapers lately about "insulin," the new remedy for diabetes discovered by Dr. F. C. Banting, of Toronto University, but few people know exactly what it is.

Insulin is an extract of fresh, healthy beef pancreas, a solution of the internal secretion of the pancreas of the ox. The extract is made by soaking the fresh organ in a mixture of alcohol and diluted hydrochloric acid. One reason for choosing this solvent is that while it dissolves the internal secretion, the external secretion (whose chief constituent is trypsin and which is of no value in the present connection) is left undissolved. The solution made is so sterilized. Insulin has been used since varying in quantities from 2 to 7 grammes to be utilized in various patients per diem. The effect, apparently, is evanescent and lasts only eight or nine hours, so that injections are necessary every day.

Making Airplanes Think

Electrically Controlled Perforated Paper Does the Work

"Making airplanes think" is the latest diversion of the French aviation engineers, Popular Mechanics according to the few details that have been allowed to leak out, but which indicate considerable success attained.

Hitherto it has been thought necessary to have at least one passenger in machines controlled by wireless, his duty consisting in dropping bombs or taking photographs. With a new device, however, an electrically controlled roll of paper providing contracts whenever certain altitudes and distances are attained, is made to do the same work.

For instance, by inserting a properly perforated "muzzle roll," an unoccupied plane has been started on a twenty-mile flight, risen to 2200 meters at the end of the third mile, released a dummy bomb, circled to the left for ten miles more, descended to less than 1000 meters, opened its camera eye to snap the scenery below while the motor slowed down to prevent blurring the pictures, and resumed normal flight back to the starting point, landing safely.

Italy May Send Emigrants

Ask Mussolini to Support Emigration to Canada Plan

Premier Mussolini recently received General Ricciotti Garibaldi, son of the Italian liberator, and his daughter, Italia, who urged the premier to support the scheme for directing Italian emigration to Canada, while Signorina Garibaldi first presented to him March 25.

The object of the plan is to send to Canada those enthusiasts who are unable to offer the United States because of the quota restrictions, particularly where the local Italian authorities are ready to give them assistance.

The premier promised to examine the scheme.

Would Be Skipper

Mrs. Jennie Crocker, of Chilmdale, Mass., has applied for a license as master of sailing vessels, empowering her to command and navigate any sailing vessel on any waters. Mrs. Crocker is the wife of a skipper and she has sailed in her husband's vessels to all the seven seas.

Venetian Blinds

The so-called Venetian blinds first came to Venice from Spain, where they were called, "jealousies." The jealous Spanish husband kept his wife secluded. She was not allowed to draw up her blinds, but she might peep out through the slits between the laths.

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Large Number of Consignments Are Being Handled this Year

A large number of wool shipments are being received from Saskatchewan producers at the warehouse of the Canadian Cooperative Wool Growers, Limited, according to the General Manager, Mr. Thomson. In addition to the 26,000 shipped out there is another 4,000 pounds on hand and further consignments are coming in every day. Mr. Thomson has received 24 contracts for further shipments, making a total of over 500 Saskatchewan contracts signed this season.

A peasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

Back to the Land Movement

German Workers in the Ruhr Adopt Gardening

When the German workers in the Ruhr, following their policy of passive resistance, declined to work for the French and Belgians, they turned in large numbers to market gardening. Sixty thousand of these employees alone quit work, and many of them turned to field activities.

As a result the district is producing a vast quantity of vegetables and grain, and a real "back-to-the-land" movement is under way.

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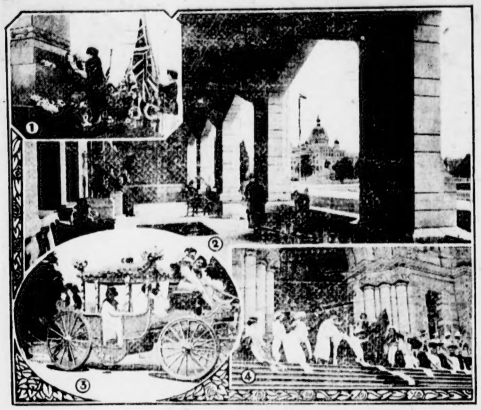
Spring-time Revelry in Garden City



1—Mrs. Walter Nichol, placing the commemoration wreath.
2—Parliament buildings at Victoria as seen from veranda of Empress Hotel.
3—Queen of the Maytime Float at Victoria B.C., in her royal coach.
4—Queen Dora Rolls enthroned at the entrance to the Parliament Buildings.

THIS year the citizens of Victoria B.C., celebrated the eighteth birthday of this garden city and for three days beginning with the twenty-fourth of May the city frolicked. During the previous week the May Queen had been chosen and with her maids of honor had travelled to neighboring cities inviting her sisters and their brothers from Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, and her cousins from Seattle, Bellingham and Portland to join in a three day frolic in her delightful gardens. The neighboring cities responded to her bidding to the extent of sending their Mayors and hundreds of their populace to take part in the spring time revelry.

The initial ceremony of the three day fete was performed when Mrs. Walter F. Nichol, wife of the Lieutenant Governor of the province of British Columbia placed a beautiful floral wreath on the handsome bronze statue of Queen Victoria which stands before the parliament buildings, in the name of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. The leading of the May Queens from H.M.S. Patrician followed this ceremony, a tender bearing their Majesties to the head along steps leading directly to the parliament buildings. Here they were given the freedom of the city by Mayor Maynard and were crowned by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia.

Then came the Grand Parade, entered into by almost every automobile in the city and participated in by every public spirited firm and individual of Victoria, Bellingham Wards, Nanaimo, and Esquimault sent picturesque floats and the recently inaugurated Canadian Pacific motor ferry plying between Vancouver Island and the former city gave hundreds of Americans an opportunity to enjoy a real twenty fourth of May celebration.

Further the three days many sports events were arranged and on the Thursday and Friday evenings elaborate balls were given in the armouries and at the Empress Hotel. Amid the historical surroundings of Beacon Hill, where as the name implies beacon fires were built in the early days for the guidance of sailors off the Island coast, the picturesque Frolic Pageant was staged on Friday. The Passing of the Pessimist was the title given this much heralded event which portrayed the betterment and reformation of many types of civic grouch.

Saturday, as other days, witnessed band concerts given throughout the city streets from early morning until late at night. A home-made circus and regatta provided matinee entertainment at the Gorge and the picturesque night attack by Indians staged in these natural surroundings recalled very vividly the pioneer days of Vancouver Island and brought to a close a civic carnival of brilliant splendour when the Queen of the Pacific Cities paid homage to the memory of her royal name sake, Victoria the Good.

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Here and There

Over a thousand million fish eggs of various species were collected by the hatcheries branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries during 1921.

Inbound ships from the United Kingdom are averaging 4,500 tons of freight for discharge at Vancouver. Outbound they take about 4,000 tons per vessel. Last year the average outward tonnage was practically the same while the inbound was only about one tenth of what it now is.

Announcement has been made that a Government wireless station is to be erected on St. Paul's Island, which stands in the entrance to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, off the most north-easterly point of Nova Scotia. Two Government wireless engineers have arrived there and are making arrangements for the erection of the station.

One hundred and forty thousand Canadian school boys have been banded into an army of guards to watch for and prevent forest fires in the Dominion this year, according to an announcement made by the Canadian Forestry Association. The new organization, which is known as the Young Canadians' Forest League, will, it is expected, save several million dollars' worth of timber from fire ravages.

That "prospects for increased immigration into Canada are excellent" was one of the most important statements made by E. W. Beatty, K.C., upon his return from an extended tour of England and European capitals. The president of the Canadian Pacific Railway believes Canada is progressing in the matter of immigration, but intensified efforts are essential, he considers, to offset erroneous impressions abroad that Canada does not require new settlers.

A record run between Winnipeg and Quebec was recently made by a special Canadian Pacific train when passengers from the Orient, were, through delay caused by landslide, in danger of missing their connection with the C.P.S.S. "Empress of Scotland" at the eastern port. The train covered the 1,519 miles in a little over 36 hours, whereas the schedule time for trains between these two cities is 53 hours. The passengers had crossed the Pacific on the C.P.S.S. "Empress of Russia" and were taking advantage of the 21 day Orient-to-Europe service of the Company.

The United States has invested in Canada $2,500,000,000, according to the Bankers' Trust Company of New York, which has just completed a survey of Canadian industry and the amount of United States capital invested. Of the total sum invested, $1,200,000,000 is in bonds, and the remainder in farms, mortgages, small businesses, industrial enterprises, banking and private loans. It is computed that more than 200 branch factories were opened in Canada by United States concerns in 1919, and a great number in 1920 and 1921, and that late in 1922 the number of these came to 700.

A collie dog is reported to have saved the life of a London West girl, while accompanying the child to a nearby store. On the way she stopped on the C. P. R. railroad tracks in the path of a westbound flier. Realizing the child's peril, the dog threw himself against her with sufficient impact, to knock her clear of danger, and was cut to pieces by the train before he could regain safety.

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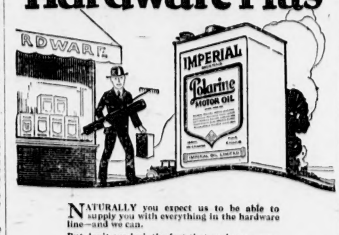

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